

WORLD COURT ENTRY SEEN AS RESOLUTION OF REED IS DEFEATED

HARD SURFACE SENATE ORDERS ROAD PROGRAM INVESTIGATION MADE FOR 1926 IN ALUMINUM

10 PER CENT SALARY INCREASES ARE VOTED FOR COUNTY WORKERS

SENATORS REJECT DEMOCRAT'S PLEA FOR MONEY PROBE

Resolutions To Investigate Alleged Propaganda by Bankers Is Voted Down, 54 to 16, on Floor.

SPECTER OF LEAGUE LOSES ITS TERRORS

Proponents of Court Will Seek Quick Vote, While Foes Will Attempt To Delay Count.

BY JAMES O'DONNELL
BENNETT.
(By Leased Wire to The Constitution and The Chicago Tribune.)

Washington, January 6.—The United States senate gave almost decisive proof today that if the vote were taken tomorrow, it would put this country into the world court.

Today's test vote, so fraught with prophecy, came when the senate voted down by 54 to 16 the resolution of Senator James Reed, democrat, of Missouri, to investigate what he declared to be sinister and richly financed propaganda to get the United States into the world court. That propaganda, he said, was being conducted largely by bankers, led by the house of Morgan, and after his resolution had been rejected by 24 votes, more than two-thirds of the 70 votes cast, he rose in his place in the front line of democratic senators, and with the half grim, half comic inflection into which he can pack much innuendo, said:

Takes Slap at Senate.

"I point it out merely as a fact of interest that a resolution to investigate a high public official is always popular in this chamber, while a resolution to investigate a banker is always unpopular. Merely a fact of interest, sirs!"

The rebuff of Reed and his resolution proceeded from a cause which indicates that the senate soon will try to reach a vote on world court entry. That cause was frankly stated by the senate's foreign relations committee, which reported against the Reed resolution, on the ground that the proposed investigation "would tend to delay action on the world court proposal."

Senatorial adherents of the entry of the United States into the world court are, in short, so confident of their power that they are ready to force the issue and bring it to a vote at any time in the near future. Indeed, their feeling about that is summed up in their laconic phrase—"the nearer the better"—for they are not unmindful of the fact that there was a time when their country's entry into the League of Nations seemed relatively as certain as its entry into the world court seems today.

Determined to Hurry Vote.

But, in the midst of that period of almost certainty, decisive opinion against the League of Nations suddenly crystallized in both the senate and the country and the fight was on. Adherents of the world court do not intend that another such defeat shall overtake their cause at a time when, as now, they feel victory within their grasp. Hence their determination to hurry the question to a decision.

The strategy of their opponents will be to delay the decision as long as possible in the hope that they can, as they put it, "educate the country" on what they call "the crime of the world court's moral decision" and other "injustices" with which they charge the court and other "menaces" which they saw in it. Some observers believe that "as long as possible" in this campaign of delay will mean until next March. In a week or so, tax reductions will come before the senate and that matter will have to be cleared away by March 1, so that every taxpayer who is due for a reduction shall get the benefit of it in the schedule which he must submit by March 15. Hence, with tax reduction once up, the senate

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Treasure-Hunting

Shoes have a regrettable habit of wearing out after so long a time. What condition are yours in? Have you that extra pair that means so much in getting long service out of footwear? If you need a pair of shoes and would like to buy them at bargain prices—who doesn't?—be sure to read the advertisements in this issue of The Constitution with special attention. They're advertised for everybody from "Pa" to "the baby" at prices that will surprise you. Cultivate that habit of reading The Constitution ads for quality merchandise at bargain prices. They'll save you money.

Ellin Mackay-Berlin Returns To Battle Family and Church

BY GEORGE T. FRY.
(By Leased Wire to The Constitution and The Chicago Tribune.)

New York, January 6.—"I have had the worst honeymoon that ever befell a bride."

So said Ellin Mackay-Berlin today. Bravely and yet tearfully, she came back to New York late this afternoon. She came to establish her religious status by insisting upon a marriage in the Catholic church. She came to fight out her differences with her family. She came to present to her society friends the man of her heart—to let them take him or leave him.

"After that," she said, "I am going to be just a little wife."

All of the romance, the poetry, the love and the tragedy of one young life

were rolled into one day of happiness and of suffering before a Pennsylvania train brought the honeymooners here at 5:20 p. m. From the train which Irving Berlin and his bride left at Newark, crossing under the Hudson by tube train to escape attracting attention at Pennsylvania station, they went to their home at 20 West Forty-Sixth street.

There they prepared for a day that meant an ordeal for both of them—a day in which an irate father must be seen and conquered; a day in which two young people, whose love led them in haste to a civil wedding, must needs see the bride's friend, Miss Consuelo Vanderbilt, married.

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RAILROAD LEADERS ACCEPT TENTATIVE PLAN FOR VIADUCTS

APPEAL IS MADE FOR OBSERVANCE OF LAW AND ORDER

Chief Obstacle to Plan to Begin Construction at Early Date Believed Removed.

Tentative acceptance by the railroad affected of revised plans for construction of twin viaducts over the railroad tracks at Central avenue and at Pryor street, as announced Wednesday by Mayor Walter A. Sims following an executive session of a subcommittee of the viaduct commission, was declared to remove the chief obstacle toward materialization of the mayor's plan to have the bridges under actual construction by early spring.

Whiteford C. Cole, president of the N. C. & St. L. railroad, and Charles A. Wickesham, representing the Atlanta Joint Terminals, the A. & W. P. and Georgia railroads, who were in the conference, declared plans were agreeable to the railroads. Railroad officials likewise agreed to bear one-fourth of the cost of the viaducts, estimated by the engineers to be about \$2,000,000.

Further Steps Required.

The next step toward completing preliminaries looking to the project will be for the viaduct commission to appear before a joint committee of the Georgia house and senate and later before the public service commission to obtain formal consent of the state of Georgia for erection of the viaducts over state-owned property. This was provided in the viaduct bills passed at the last session of the Georgia legislature. Mayor Sims believed approval of these two bodies would be merely a formality and would be promptly given.

He said the commission would go before the state authorities not later than early next week.

Revised plans, as proposed at a previous conference of the viaduct commission with the railroad officials two months ago, were adopted in the main.

One change, however, calls for an entrance from the viaduct to the terrace.

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Men's Styles Will Follow Athletic Cut

Broad Shoulders, Smaller Waists and Hips Forecast in Suits.

Cincinnati, Ohio, January 6.—(AP)—The demand of young men for broad shoulders coats, with the front suppressed to provide a more athletic appearance, was recognized by the style forecast committee of the International Association of Clothing Designers today in predicting next spring and summer styles.

Showing of suits for next season will give prominence to broad shoulders, two button sack coats of medium form fit, and smaller waists and hips, the committee forecast revealed. Trousers also will be narrower.

Next season's garments likewise will meet the demand of the average man for a greater expression of individual taste, so that the spring showings will include a greater number of patterns and more varied colors. New models anticipate a demand for the two-button double-breasted sack coats.

Higher pockets and buttons, as well as higher cut waistcoats for day wear, are new designs to answer a popular demand. New spring top coats will be straight hanging box back models, with natural shoulders.

The committee said it has noticed a gain in popularity of the full dress suit for formal occasions. Spring tuxedos for semi-formal functions will be cut along the same lines as the new sack coats.

Leaders Urge Church People to Recognize Responsibility in Articles in Christian Index.

Declaring that "the thoughtlessness, the selfishness and the indifference of so-called 'good citizens,' more than the viciousness of hardened criminals, are to be blamed for our present plight of lawlessness," Judge Samuel H. Sibley, of the United States court for the northern district of Georgia, makes a stirring appeal to the church people of Georgia to recognize their responsibility for the observance of law, in an article which he contributes to the current issue of The Christian Index, the Baptist newspaper in Georgia.

"The people and not the policemen are the real enforcers of law in America," continues Judge Sibley. "An atmosphere of law observance is the only one in which sincere remonstrance to lawlessness can flourish. Kindly remonstrance unheeded is the faintest basis for prosecution—accuser and accused feel that it is. I have had in mind our country's atmosphere, but a similar healthy atmosphere of observance of and interest in the law, and energetic action when necessary, will at the same time solve the problem of grosser crimes. I trust that each of us may be so quickened in love for government and in interest in the good effects of its laws, that the new year may find us contributing our full influence in their support."

The Christian Index carries another leading article in this issue emphasizing the need of law observance. The second article is written by Dr. John D. Mell, of Athens, president of the Georgia Baptist convention. Dr. Mell says:

"If something is not done to stop

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COAL CONFERENCE IS DEADLOCKED

Miners Vote Down Operators' Proposals for Arbitration—Newspapers Demand Settlement.

New York, January 6.—(AP)—The anthracite joint wage conference adjourned in an absolute deadlock at 10:30 tonight until 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Both sides expressed their willingness to continue negotiations in an effort to end the long coal strike. President Lewis of the miners stated that he would regard the breakup of negotiations without an agreement as a "public calamity."

Various propositions offered by either side were voted upon and rejected by one side or the other. According to a statement issued, the operators submitted a statement of their position, which was voted down by the miners after a long discussion, in which the miners restated their opposition to arbitration.

Scranton, Pa., January 6.—(AP)—A demand that the anthracite suspension be ended, and that miners and operators settle their differences, was contained in a telegram from publishers of the leading newspapers of the hard coal field today, after a conference here. The telegram was sent to the operators' and miners' representatives now in conference in New York.

Holder Says Work on Atlanta-Chattanooga and Atlanta-Macon Roads Will Begin in April.

CONTRACTS READY AND PLANS LAID

Practically All Counties Are Prepared to Care For Work, Declares Highway Chief.

A hard-surfaced highway all the way from Atlanta to Macon, and completion of grading, drainage and chert base work on all of the road between Atlanta and the Tennessee county line at Chattanooga, will be the achievement of the state highway department during 1926, according to the belief of John N. Holder, chairman of the state highway board, expressed Wednesday in the midst of a storm of disapproval over the quagmire state of unimproved stretches of these two vital state thoroughfares.

"We have agreements with all counties on the highway between Atlanta and Macon, with one exception," said Mr. Holder. "That exception is Clayton county, and arrangements have been verbally agreed to whereby this gap will be built and financed otherwise than directly through the county."

Asked when preliminary work on the Atlanta-Macon highway would begin, Mr. Holder said that the highway department would begin work next week on surveys, blue prints and estimates. He stated that the highway department has assurance of the federal aid engineer at Montgomery that federal approval of the plans would be immediately forthcoming.

Mr. Holder pointed out that the Atlanta-Macon highway is a federal-aid project and there would be no delay on securing approval of both the district engineer and Washington authorities to the actual surfacing plans.

W. A. To Begin in April.

Contracts, Mr. Holder said, would probably be let in time for the actual construction work to begin some time in April. It would not be possible to begin earlier than this, he said, by reason of the fact that state road construction money secured from the gasoline tax is paid to the highway department quarterly and this money will not be available until the April 15 payment is made.

In regard to the road from Atlanta to Chattanooga, Mr. Holder said that Cobb county was building the road from Marietta to the Bartow county line. He attributed the bad condition of the road at this point to the fact that work of grading and laying of a chert base is now progressing on it.

Bartow county, the chairman said, has already agreed to pay its portion of the part of the road within its borders between Cartersville and the Cobb county line, and he said he had no doubt but what that county would make arrangements for financing the balance of the road.

In Gordon county, he said, arrangements have been made for grading, drainage and chert base, and an allotment already has been made for the state paying 75 per cent and the county 25 per cent.

Whitfield county is in similar status to Gordon, with a tentative agreement as to the state allotment for bonds to have route No. 3 entirely through the county.

The only county on this route with which arrangements have not yet been made is Chattooga county, which is in that county, he said, work will be begun early in the spring to lay a chert base from Ringgold to the Whitfield county line. This county now has federal-aid project from Ringgold to the Tennessee line.

As to the other branch of what is known as the Dixie highway by Rome, Georgia, he said:

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Quaint Ceremony of Blessing Waters Viewed by Hundreds

GREEK PATRIARCH PRESIDES AT TARPON SPRINGS

Tarpon Springs, Fla., January 6.—(AP)—Undaunted by a heavy downpour of rain which fell here throughout this morning, hundreds of tourists and members of the Greek sponge fishing colony here gathered on the banks of Spring Bayou to hear Archbishop Alexander, head of the Greek Orthodox Church in America, pronounce his blessings upon the water and to witness the spirited diving contests which followed in the annual Greek cross day celebration.

The ceremony of Epiphany began at 7:30 a. m. at St. Andrews church, where close to 500 communicants gathered. Archbishop Alexander presided at the picturesque services and he was assisted by Archdeacon Storgilos, of New York, and Father Karafilis, pastor of the church.

Protestant churches were also represented by clergymen from many denominations. Principal among these was the Rev. Dr. John D. Wing, bishop conductor of the Episcopal diocese of Florida. The Rev. Dr. Thomas Lacey, rector of the Church of the Redeemer, Brooklyn, was not present. It was the first time in 18 years Dr. Lacey has failed to attend the Epiphany services here.

At noon, the usual hour for the

Administration Abandons Policy of 'Sitting on Lid' and Welcomes Investigation of Metal Trust.

SENATOR WALSH TO CONDUCT QUIZ

Experts Believe Probe May Touch Off Political Magazine Involving Secretary Mellon.

BY RAYMOND CLAPPER.
Washington, January 6.—Investigation of the alleged aluminum trust, authorized by the senate Wednesday, will begin at once, Chairman Cummings, of the senate judiciary committee, told the United News he will call his committee together Thursday morning to arrange procedure.

This and other circumstances attending the authorization of the inquiry indicated that the administration forces have decided that the best course is to welcome investigation and challenge Senator Walsh, the demon investigator, to do his worst.

Reed Withdraws Objections.

Probably this, on second thought, was held to be wiser than the first impulse to sit on the lid. Senator Reed, Pennsylvania, republican, who is Secretary Mellon's closest friend and whose law firm handles a good deal of the Mellon family's legal business, withdrew his original objections when Walsh brought up his two resolutions Wednesday.

"I have taken the matter up with the officials concerned," Reed said, "and they have no objection to it." Thereupon, without one more word of debate, and without a single voice voting in opposition, the senate by acclamation adopted the resolutions.

The first orders the senate judiciary committee to inquire whether due expedition has been observed by the department of justice in its investigation of alleged anti-trust offenses by the Aluminum Company of America. The second directs Attorney General Sargent to advise the senate whether the federal trade commission acted within the law in refusing to give the department of justice access to its files regarding the aluminum company's alleged offenses.

Has Political Tinge.

Much testimony will be technical and involve fine legal points but the investigation will take place in a political setting composed of highly inflammable material.

Attorney General Sargent and Assistant Attorney General Donovan will be early witnesses. The two factions on the federal trade commission will appear seriatim to wash family linen accumulated since more respect for business was instilled into that body by President Hoover.

This investigation brings back into prominence the Montana Walsh whose monstrosities became known in every household with the Teapot Dome investigation two years ago. He is known as the most thorough man in the senate. His vacuum cleaner beats as it sweeps. Borah starts out with more noise but soon grows bored. Not Walsh. He nursed the Teapot Dome inquiry months before even Washington knew it was going on and finally even himself with what he found.

No Predictions Made.

No predictions are made as to what the aluminum inquiry will disclose. It may be a sad effort to repeat the old sensation. It may disclose nothing more and prove a serious boom-erang to the hungry democrats. All that the democrats will say now is that some things look suspicious and if there is any sort of a Walsh, with the most sensitive nose in the senate, can find it.

No one knows what ramifications the inquiry will have or how long it will last. But political exigencies suggest that it will be nursed along well into the summer so that if any damage is done to the administration it will not be forgotten by election time next fall.

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Bennett and Divorced Wife Get License To Marry Again

Divorce Granted Only Tuesday at Tampa

Chattanooga, Tenn., January 6.—(AP)—Divorced at Tampa, Fla., yesterday, Raymond Bennett and Evelyn Farris Bennett, "Follies" beauty and motion picture actress, secured a license here to remarry today. Young Bennett was recently arrested on a "white slave" charge at Jacksonville, Fla., but was acquitted, his wife going to his aid. He was tried for killing a man in Florida a year ago, and was also acquitted of that charge. Mrs. Bennett, some years ago divorced a prominent New York business man.

When asked if it were true she would soon be married again, Mrs. Bennett said:

"I do not know just when it will

be. I have not definitely made up my mind."

She was asked: "You recovered from your rashness about the divorce and got over being mad with your former husband very quick, didn't you?"

To this, she replied: "Oh, we have never been mad. There has never been the slightest hard feelings. Because of the unfortunate things that have come up, we thought it would be better if we were divorced. So many things had taken place, we thought we better get a divorce. I have no definite plans for the future. I have not made up my mind what I am going to do."

AUTO ACCIDENTS CLAIM 69 LIVES IN CITY IN 1925

This Number Compares With 58 Traffic Deaths in 1924, Atlanta Safety Council Reports.

Fatal accidents in Atlanta in 1925 from all causes showed an increase of 17.4 per cent over 1924, the total for 1925 being 167 as compared to 138 the previous year, according to figures compiled by the Atlanta safety council and made public Wednesday.

Motor vehicles were responsible for more fatal accidents during the year than any other cause. In 1925 69 people were killed in motor vehicle accidents in and near the city as compared to 58 the previous year. Of the 1,657 non-fatal accidents during the year, 1,214 were caused by motor vehicles.

Other public causes were responsible for 44 deaths in 1925 and 27 deaths in 1924. There were 65 home accident fatalities in 1925 as compared to 61 the previous year. Industrial accidents showed a decrease of 4 for 1925, there being 15 in 1925 and 19 the preceding year. There were 218 non-fatal accidents in 1924 from other public causes besides motor vehicles, 185 home non-fatal accidents, and 39 industrial non-fatal accidents.

Big Damage Bill.

On the basis used by the government in estimating the cost of the motor vehicle accidents, Atlanta's bill for fatal accidents in 1925 was \$215,000; non-fatal \$242,800, and property damage \$55,450, making a total of \$513,250 in damage.

Atlanta automobile accidents to children decreased from 9 in 1924 to 7 in 1925. These figures applying to children in the 5-12 age group.

The total number of accidents reports involving personal injury from motors since January 1, 1925, was 1,214.

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CHIEF OF LABOR ENDORSES SUNDAY AMUSEMENT MOVE

Marquardt Says Workers Should Have Opportunity for Recreation on Only Idle Day.

Suggestion that one of Atlanta's greatest present needs is the opening of more avenues of recreation and amusement for workers, particularly on Sunday, made by W. D. Hoffman, president of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, met with indorsement from prominent labor leaders, officials, workers and other citizens Wednesday.

Approval of the suggestion was heard in many quarters, being voiced by a number of people engaged in widely differing activities. One strong expression was made by Louis D. Marquardt, president of the Atlanta Federation of Labor, who agreed in a letter with Mr. Hoffman's statement.

"Workers of Atlanta have long felt that more avenues of amusement and enjoyment should be opened for the benefit of those who labor through the week and have but one opportunity during the week to enjoy recreation," he said. "While I do not include commercial amusements of many kinds in this list, I believe that the Atlanta workers should be given more opportunities of enjoying themselves on Sunday."

Would Equalize Opportunities.

Mr. Marquardt said golf, automobile, polo and many other amusements are available for people of wealth but that many restrictions now existing could be removed which would afford equal opportunities to people of less wealth.

"Baseball on Sunday—a healthy recreation—played by teams of amateurs should certainly be included in the movement," Mr. Marquardt said. "Baseball as an exercise in the summer and football in the winter are two of the most healthful sports. Men who work on week days now have little opportunity of even tossing a baseball around, and they are prevented from playing in regular amateur games because of restrictions of various kinds. Swimming pools by all means should be operated on Sundays."

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"It is time to put our cards on the table," Sir Cecil concludes.

ETHERIDGE NAMED COMMISSION HEAD FOR COMING YEAR

Hope Elected Vice Chairman and Committees Appointed at Board's First 1926 Session.

Other features of the meeting were reorganization of the board with Paul S. Etheridge as chairman and Captain George M. Hope as vice chairman. Mr. Etheridge was elevated from the position of vice chairman and succeeded Virlyn B. Moore. Chairman Etheridge reappointed all committees.

In addition to the blanket increase of about 10 per cent for employees generally, salaries of C. W. Holland, jailer; George Mathieson, chief of police; and Frank Eaves, were fixed at \$5,300 annually, an increase of \$300 annually. The salary of Charles B. Shelton, county attorney, remained at \$6,000 annually.

Other Increases.

A. A. Clark, superintendent of public works, was raised from \$500 monthly to \$600. C. F. Collier, C. O. Cates and O. F. Jones, assistant superintendents of public works, were raised \$25 each monthly bringing their salaries to \$250.

Highway Engineer Nym Hurt was raised \$52.50 monthly, bringing the salary for this office to \$300 monthly. R. Rogers, assistant highway engineer, was raised to \$200 monthly. Frank Smith, tax investigator, was raised from \$300 monthly to \$325.

Lieutenant J. C. Oliver, of the county police department, was made a captain and placed on a captain's salary. The commission created the office of special tax investigator to work in conjunction with Mr. Smith at a salary of \$150 monthly.

Report on 1925 Work.

A report of Edwin Johnson, chairman of the public works committee, showed that 64 miles of hard-surface road was laid in the county in 1925 at a cost of \$738,933, as compared to 40 miles in 1924 at a cost of \$1,218,410. The reduced cost, it was said, was due largely to the fact that most of the work during the past year was done by county forces instead of being let out on contract. Eighteen miles of concrete paving were laid.

Out of the total cost of road work in 1925, \$405,424 was spent on repairing roads within the city limits. A total of \$635,000 less contract work

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ECONOMY POLICY CERTAIN FOR CITY

Determination to "follow out to the letter" Mayor Sims' policy as advocated in his message to practice economy this year with "renewed energy" was voiced Wednesday by Councilman A. J. Orme, newly appointed chairman of the council finance committee, upon assembling the committee to compile the January apportionment sheet, the guide to 1923 municipal expenditures.

Heads of all departments, with exception of the police and construction departments, were heard by the committee, and numerous requests were made. Without exception every department head asked for increases in salaries for workers in his department.

Opposes Pay Increases.
Councilman Orme also put himself on record as opposed to any wholesale or blanket increases in salaries.

"There are some deserving workers in the city government who are underpaid," Mr. Orme said. "It is my opinion that the committee should consider their cases conscientiously and grant those who deserve it a salary more commensurate with their services."

The committee will throw its meeting open to the public this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Mr. Orme announced. At first it was thought the committee would be so busy hearing from department heads that it would be Friday before the public would be admitted. Such rapid progress has been made, however, that the committee will be in shape to hear from those outside the city hall desiring municipal appropriations on Thursday, it was said.

Revenue Anticipated.
The city tax assessors informed the committee that anticipated revenue from general tax this year would be \$5,445,000, or an amount about \$150,000 in excess of that anticipated one year ago from the same source. It was the hope that the committee would be in such shape as to begin actual compilation of the sheet Saturday.

Councilman Orme has planned to leave the city next Tuesday, and it is his desire that the sheet as it will be presented to council for adoption a week from Monday, be completed by that date, he said.

30-Day Sentence

To Stockade Given Intoxicated Driver

Thirty days in the stockade and a fine of \$100 was the judgment imposed by Clyde Shaw, of 95 Manigault street, by Recorder A. W. Callaway for driving an automobile while drunk, according to charges. Patrolmen Morgan and Bailey, who arrested Shaw, testified that they had seen the defendant driving a car while he apparently was intoxicated, on Courtland street several days ago.

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Car Plunges Into Big Glass Window Injuring Negro

In a freak accident early Wednesday night Samuel Robinson, negro, of 95 Old Wheat street, nearly lost his life when driven through the large plate glass window of the Haverly Furniture store, on Edgewood avenue at Butler street, by an automobile.

Robinson was rushed to Grady hospital where doctors were engaged in sewing his wounds for approximately two hours. He was severely cut about the face and head, his arms and hands, legs and body.

The automobile that plunged through the plate glass show window, taking the negro with it, police were told, was operated by a W. J. Hayes, whose address was given as a North Forsyth street number. The machine contained two men, both of whom had left the scene of the accident before police arrived.

Call Officers Walter A. Goode and W. Fred Bullard, who were assigned to the case, were told that the car that figured in the accident was going west on Edgewood avenue at a high rate of speed, and turned suddenly to the right when a motor truck pulled into Edgewood avenue from a filling station located on the southeast corner of Butler and Edgewood avenue.

Robinson was walking along the sidewalk in front of the furniture store when he was struck by the car and hurled through the window. The machine also plunged through the window.

AVIATION BOARD NAMED FOR 1926 HAS NEW MEMBER

With but one exception the municipal aviation board appointed annually by the mayor to supervise Candler field and aviation activities in Atlanta will be the same this year as last, under action taken Wednesday by Mayor Walter A. Sims.

Councilman Wiley J. Moore was named to succeed W. C. Jenkins, former councilman who retired to private life last week.

Other members of the board are Alderman W. R. Harfield, chairman, representing the city government; Captain George M. Hope, representing the Fulton county commission; R. E. L. Cone, representing the Atlanta branch of the American Aeronautical association, and Henderson Hallman, representing the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce.

DR. CARTER HELM JONES TO SPEAK IN ARCADE

Dr. Carter Helm Jones, pastor of the Second Baptist church, will be the principal speaker at 12:30 o'clock today at the prayer services in the Peachtree Arcade. Mrs. Luke Rader will render several vocal solo selections.

Dr. J. Spole Lyons, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will speak at the same hour on Friday. The Landers quartet will have charge of the musical program.

The week's service of daily prayers will be concluded with an address Saturday by Dr. N. R. H. Moor, rector of the St. Luke's Episcopal church. Dr. Moor will be assisted by the Sterling quartet.

The special meetings are being sponsored by the Business Men's Evangelistic club of Atlanta, with the Ministers' association and the Christian council.

MRS. BARNES GUEST OF ATLANTA WRITERS

Mrs. Diantha Barnes, Tennessee poetess and a frequent contributor to Frank L. Stanton's column, "Just From Georgia," in "The Constitution," will be the special guest tonight of the Atlanta Writers' club at 7 o'clock in the banquet hall of the Atlanta Woman's club. Mrs. Barnes will read from her recently published lyrics.

Poems from the works of Mrs. George Fort Milton, also a Tennessean but now a resident of Atlanta, will be recited by Mrs. Roger Wilson, Mrs. Armand Carroll, Atlanta artist, will furnish music. There will be brief talks by other visitors and members of the club.

Bishop Dickey To Preach

Bishop J. E. Dickey, of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, will preach at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the St. Mark Methodist church, corner Peachtree and Fifth streets, it was announced Wednesday by Dr. J. B. Mitchell, pastor.

Bishop Dickey is a former pastor of the First Methodist church of Atlanta and is widely known throughout this section.

WILL DISCUSS PROGRAM OF HIGHWAY BUILDING

Meeting today at 10 o'clock on the Anley roof, the Georgia Highway association will discuss plans for a workable program of highway development for Georgia, it was announced Wednesday by C. C. Thomas, president of the organization.

Mr. Thomas stated that matters of vital importance to the future of the highway program of Georgia would be discussed, including various suggestions for road bond issues, for additional gas taxes and changes in the present method of allocation of highway funds.

It is expected that definite action will be taken by the meeting regarding recommendations to be made to the legislature when it meets in special session on February 24, and that the executive committee of the organization will lay plans for a campaign in support of whatever program is adopted. Committees probably will be appointed to follow the plan through the legislature.

The Georgia Highway association was organized last year to sponsor a highway bond issue through the legislature and was then one of the supporters of a \$70,000,000 bond issue. Speakers who have been invited to address today's meeting include Governor Walker, former Governor Charles S. Osborn, of Michigan, who has a winter home near Albany; Chancellor C. M. Snelling, of the University of Georgia, and Fernor Barrett, of Toccoa, Stephens county representative in the legislature.

Chest Headquarters Moved to East Cain To Reduce Expenses

Headquarters of the Community Chest have been moved from the Candler building to 32 East Cain street. Expenses will be reduced materially by the transfer, officials explained.

Aged Life Term Begins Sentence For Old Murder

"Uncle Asa" Patterson, 79-year-old mountaineer who was sentenced to serve a life term nearly 45 years ago following his conviction on charges of murder and who was apprehended on Christmas eve, Wednesday was in Atlanta en route to Milledgeville, where he is going to begin his sentence.

Patterson escaped soon after his conviction and eluded the law until December 24, when the urge to see his children drove him from the mountains of Tennessee to Pickens county, Ga., where in March 1881, he killed Bob Simmons in a knife duel. He was arrested on a charge of being drunk and later admitted that he was Patterson and wanted for the killing.

The slaying is said to have been the outgrowth of a card game in which Patterson won and is alleged to have been accused of cheating. He was attacked and claims he killed Simmons in self defense.

Wednesday he was on his way to Milledgeville to serve the life term. He stated he had no remorse, that he killed Simmons in defense of his own life and that "any man would have done the same thing."

Since he escaped, Patterson's first wife died and he has reared another family by a second wife. He married while in hiding in the mountains of Tennessee, he said.

HOLD EVENING CLASSES AT SCHOOL OF ORATORY

Evening classes in various branches of oratory have been announced by James F. Watson, president of the Atlanta School of Oratory and Expression. These classes will be held between the hours of 4 and 7 o'clock in the Wesley Memorial building, and are designed to meet the needs of all persons interested in voice, elocution, public speaking, story-telling, reading, expression, dramatic art and song, who cannot attend the morning and noon sessions.

HOLD UP PROCEEDINGS IN POOLROOM CASE

Judge E. D. Thomas, of Fulton superior court, Wednesday signed a restraining order to prevent W. S. Richardson, Fulton county tax collector, and James I. Lowry, sheriff, from taking any proceedings against I. Clein and six associates, who operate what is known as the Metropolitan billiard rooms, until hearing on a petition to compel Mr. Richardson to issue them a license to do business.

According to the complainants, Mr. Richardson has declined to issue the license for them to operate during 1923 on account of the new law passed by the last session of the Georgia legislature regulating pool rooms. The basis of the refusal is said to be the fact that the operators are white men, but run the parlors for negroes. This is in conflict with the new Georgia law.

Petitioners claim that they can not move without a great deal of expense, that their equipment is of no value whatever unless they can operate a pool room, and that the measure means the confiscation of their property.

They attack the constitutionality of the law and ask the courts to set it aside. Judge Thomas set January 9 as the date for the hearing.

Child Scalded.

Winston Bowman, 4, of 445 Central avenue, received severe burns about the shoulders, neck and back Wednesday morning, when he fell into a pan of scalding water, according to physicians at Grady hospital, where the child was carried.

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MRS. A. H. REINHARDT WILL VISIT ATLANTA

Mrs. Aurelia Henry Reinhardt, of Oakland, Cal., president of the American Association of University Women, will be the guest of the Atlanta branch and various educational institutions of the city January 29.

Mrs. Reinhardt holds degrees from Yale and California universities and was elected president of the American Association of University Women in Portland, Ore., in 1923. She presided over national meetings of the body in Washington and Indianapolis in 1924 and 1925, and has been a delegate to international meetings in Paris in 1922, Christiania, Norway, in 1924, and the international conference in Brussels in 1925. At present she is on a speaking tour of eastern cities. In Atlanta she is to speak at Agnes Scott college.

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STATE OF ETHERIDGE RESTS WITH JURY

Gray, Ga., January 6.—(AP)—The state of Grover Cleveland Etheridge, prominent farmer charged with the slaying from ambush of two Jones county policemen after they had raided a still on the edge of his plantation, now rests with a jury of 12 men.

The case was given to the jury at 3:30 o'clock tonight and at 10:30 o'clock, after considering the evidence for three hours without reaching a verdict, the jury members were locked up for the night and will deliberate again when court opens Thursday morning.

Etheridge himself was the opening and only witness for the defense, taking the stand when court opened late in the morning. His statement included an account of his movements on the day of the murder. August 25, he would establish an alibi for him. He said he sat in a poker game from 8 a. m. to 12:20 p. m., but defense did not introduce any substantiating witnesses.

Judge James B. Park, presiding over the special court session, limited each side to two and one-half hours for argument, after the state had put on five witnesses to repudiate Etheridge's statement as to his movements on the day of the murder.

Atkins Etheridge, brother of the accused man, and jointly indicted with him, will not be tried in this special term, which will adjourn after rendering the verdict in the present case, the presiding judge announced. It had been considered certain that the trial of Atkins Etheridge would immediately follow that of the present defendant.

Solicitor General Joe B. Duke admitted that, in event Grover is acquitted, Atkins may never be brought to trial.

The surprise of the three-day trial came when Grover Etheridge left the stand and W. A. McClellan of Macon, chief defense counsel, announced "the defense rests." Etheridge had given in great detail an account of his movements from dawn to dusk on August 28, although becoming somewhat confused on cross-examination. Indications were that the defense would have a number of witnesses to offer testimony in substantiation of his narrative, which would in itself have won him freedom, virtually.

In rebuttal Solicitor General Duke put on the stand a number of witnesses, including Sheriff J. Clark Middlebrooks, A. M. Greene, acting coroner, and Luther J. Stevens, Bibb county deputy, who repudiated portions of Etheridge's testimony.

Atkinson Etheridge will face trial, if at all, in the April term of Jones superior court, a regular session.

LAST RITES TODAY FOR AGED VICTIM IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Funeral services for Daniel A. Ragsdale, 67, of 1922 Hemphill avenue, will be held today morning at 10 o'clock at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Ragsdale, 1922 Hemphill avenue, where he died Tuesday night when struck by an automobile, which was held at 3 o'clock this afternoon by the coroner.

Ragsdale was the second automobile fatality during the past two days. He was struck by an automobile driven by E. R. Penn, 24, of 229 State street, police records show. The accident occurred on Hemphill avenue near State street.

The driver of the machine stopped his car immediately, picked up the injured man and carried him to Grady hospital where he died attending physicians the circumstances of the accident. He reported the accident to police Wednesday morning.

No charges had been made against young Penn Wednesday night. The death of Mr. Ragsdale marks the second tragedy within the past 36 hours. Ragsdale, 60, of 17 Bankhead place, a nightwatchman for the Marbut-Williams Lumber company, having been fatally injured when he was struck down by a machine driven by an unidentified man Monday night on Bankhead avenue near Marietta street. He died at Grady hospital where he was carried about three hours after the accident.

Ragsdale is survived by five sons, E. V. Gordon, L. R. C. Glenn, T. Forrest D. Ragsdale; three daughters, Mrs. D. W. Holland, of Rome, Ga.; Mrs. R. A. Frasier, and Mrs. R. H. Holly, and two brothers, W. T. and C. T. Ragsdale, of Atlanta.

ATLANTANS PROVE LOVE FOR BOOKS DURING PAST YEAR

Book reading among Atlantans reached a high mark in 1925, with circulation by Carnegie library and its eight Atlanta branches during the year of 627,373 books, and the enrollment of 8,773 new members, according to the annual report of Miss Tommie Dora Parker, librarian.

Notwithstanding this record, Miss Barker pointed out that Atlanta was fourth from the bottom of 29 cities in Atlanta's class in per capita appropriation for the upkeep of the library. While Atlanta appropriated 47 cents per capita, the average appropriation among the 29 cities was 63 cents per capita, she said.

Two branch libraries, one for the Uncle Remus branch in West End, and the other for the Inman park branch, were recommended.

MAYOR TO DEFEND ACCUSED YOUTH IN MURDER TRIAL

Mayor Walter A. Sims has been retained to defend Theodore R. Berry, jointly charged with Mel M. Gore and Jack Wilson with the murder on December 19, of William H. Check, it became known Wednesday.

Berry and Gore are slated to go on trial in Fulton superior court on January 14. Gore has announced that he is ready to enter a plea of guilty to being an accessory after the fact but declared that he will not plead guilty to murder.

Mr. Sims has not announced what defense Berry will submit, but it is expected that he will enter a plea of not guilty and go on trial before a jury.

Atty. Gen. Napier Is Made Member Of Shorthand Body

George M. Napier, attorney general of Georgia, was honored at the recent convention of the Southeastern Shorthand Reporters' association, held in Chattanooga, by being elected the first honorary member of the association, it was stated in a letter from D. O. Smith to Mr. Napier.

The only other honorary member of this organization of court reporters, it was stated, is Judge Conyers, of Brunswick. Incidentally, it is of interest to note that every member of the attorney general's office is an expert stenographer and all have done court reporting, including Mr. Napier, Assistant Attorney General T. R. Gress and Secretary R. O. Huie.

Civic Leaders Urge Pay Ward at Grady To Broaden Service

Civic leaders Wednesday endorsed the appeal by Mayor Walter A. Sims in his annual message to council urging the city to appropriate \$100,000 for a pay ward at Grady hospital, thereby matching the \$100,000 offered by Jacob Elsas, contingent on the city setting aside a like amount.

Steve R. Johnson, superintendent of Grady hospital, said it would be a great help to persons who suffered charity and were willing to pay according to their means. Among those who endorsed the plan were Mrs. C. W. McClure, president of the auxiliary to Grady hospital; Mrs. Horman Sharp, president of the Atlanta Woman's club; J. P. Allen, for many years connected with the children's ward of Grady, and Mrs. Eugene Black, recording secretary of the auxiliary.

CARLTON EMPLOYEES GUESTS OF PRESIDENT

Officials and employees of the Carlton Shoe and Clothing company were guests of Ike Lipsitz, president of the organization Tuesday evening, at a dinner given at the Carlton hotel for the new year feasting the gathering. Practically all employees made short talks, and C. E. Allen, the only guest, praised the company on the progress it has made since its inception. Those present included: President Lipsitz; B. J. Eisenman, vice president; Sime Eisenman, general manager; A. W. Tolleson, Early Morris, Sam Weisman, J. A. Stomkin, C. L. Sasse, Thomas Meckel, E. R. Sowell, L. L. Lamar, W. E. Pittard and F. L. Bledson. Musical numbers were rendered, and Miss Mary Morrison and others executed interpretative dances.

FLANIGAN TO PREACH AT WEST END CHURCH

The Rev. D. O. Flanagan, of Wilkeson, N. C., has accepted a call to the West End Presbyterian church and will fill the pulpit Sunday morning, it is stated.

The Rev. W. M. Seay, of the West End Baptist church, has declined the call to the Washington Heights Baptist church, of New York, he announced Wednesday. Dr. Seay came here several years ago from Louisville, Kentucky.

The Rev. Wright Moore, who has served the West End Christian church for the past several years, left the city January 1 to attend college. John Knox, of Emory University, will supply the vacancy until the church calls a new pastor, it is announced.

ASKED TO RESIGN, LUCAS EXPLAINS OPPOSITION MOVE

H. D. Lucas, chief of the newly created food and dairy division of the city health department, whose resignation was requested Tuesday by the council sanitary committee, Wednesday charged his predicament to a group of dairymen "who do not want to produce pure milk" and to a group of food dealers "who are opposed to obeying food inspection regulations."

"My reward for a vigorous and impartial enforcement of Atlanta's food and dairy inspection laws is to be kicked out," he said. No formal charges had been preferred against Mr. Lucas, according to Councilman W. E. Saunders, who said the committee acted on complaints of others in the health department that Lucas was "trying to run the whole department."

EMORY CHARTER DAY DINNER PLANS MADE

Plans for a banquet at the auditorium at 6:30 o'clock the night of January 25, marking the observance of Emory university charter day, were laid at a dinner Tuesday night by Dr. Stewart Roberts, instructor in the Emory medical college. The dinner was at his home at 1820 Ponce de Leon avenue. It is expected that 1,000 persons will attend the anniversary dinner on January 25.

PAVING PETITION HEARINGS ARE SET FOR JANUARY 15

Hearings on petitions to build sidewalks on three south side streets will be had before the streets committee of council at its meeting January 15.

Petitions request sidewalks with hexagonal tile on Pulliam street, from Fair to Georgia avenue; Crew street from Trinity to Georgia, and Fortress from Buena Vista to Goodwin street. Both those for and against the project will be given opportunity to be heard, it was announced.

MRS. NELSON ACTS AS BOARD HEAD PENDING MEETING

Mrs. Julia O'Keefe Nelson, first vice president of the city board of education, holds the distinction of being the first woman to act as president of the city board.

With the term of John T. Hancock, last year's president, expiring January 1, and with a lapse of almost two weeks before reorganization of the board on January 12, it became necessary for some one to sign vouchers and checks and attend to other duties vested in the president of the board.

Mrs. Nelson was the first woman elected to the board. Her father was the late D. C. O'Keefe, one of the founders of the Atlanta public school system.

GOVERNOR WARMLY RECEIVED ON TOUR FOR REFORM PLANS

Governor Clifford Walker returned to his office Wednesday, after an extended visit to south Georgia, and expressed gratification over the reception accorded his program for better schools and highways and payment of Confederate pensions, while on his tour of the state.

The governor spoke at Waycross and Douglas on Monday, and at each place, he said, the courthouse was filled to capacity with representative audiences. In each place, he stated, his pleas for better educational facilities for the state and for the early

building of a permanent system of state highways were endorsed by unanimous votes.

The governor has announced that he will call a special session of the legislature on February 24 to consider these two questions, and also to provide means for paying back pensions due Confederate pensioners.

No specific program of bond issues or other means of financing the improvement projects was set out at the Waycross and Douglas meetings, the governor said, but he declared that the enthusiasm for the program in general was inspiring.

The chief executive plans to spend all the time he can spare away from his office until the legislature convenes in a speaking campaign in favor of this program, in different parts of the state. He said he would be in Atlanta for the balance of this week, however.

PAUL ETHERIDGE GIVES DINNER TO BIBLE CLASS

The officers of the Business Men's Bible class of the Inman Park Baptist church were the guests Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Etheridge at their home on Maddox drive.

The occasion being a combination of the regular business meeting of the officers, with a dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Etheridge complimenting

the officers of the class, of which Mr. Etheridge is the teacher.

Immediately after the dinner J. T. Barfield, president of this large class, outlined the aims of the class for 1926.

A special program will be presented at the initial service of the year at the Inman Park Baptist church, the coming Sunday. Effort will be made to have all members of the class present, in order that the new officers may explain the program for the early year.

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SEEK NEW TERMS IN POWER MERGER

Hydro-electric developments planned by the Georgia Railway and Power company in North Georgia under the recent issue of \$5,000,000 preferred stock, have been suspended, it was learned Wednesday, and will be held in abeyance pending the outcome of negotiations reported to be in progress for the merger of the local company with the Southeastern Power and Light company.

The statement is made that in the event of the conclusion of the purchase of the Georgia company by the Southeastern, the order of construction of the new projects planned by the Georgia Railway and Power company probably will be changed, but should the negotiations fall through, the developments will be carried through as planned under the five-year program of the local company.

Reports also were received Wednesday that the original plans for the exchange of stock of the two companies on the basis of five shares of the Southeastern for one of the Georgia company had been abandoned and new plans now said to be under discussion include:

First—Three shares of Southeastern stock and \$25 for each share of the Georgia company, which would give a value of 160, as compared to 146 for the Georgia shares.

Second—One share of Southeastern common and one share of Southeastern 4-per cent preferred in new stock to be issued, and a cash adjustment around \$40 for each share of Georgia. This combination would be six points less than the present 146 value of the Georgia stock.

Reports from New York state that a formal announcement of the transfer of control of the Georgia company to the Southeastern company will be made some time this week. Officials of the Georgia Railway and Power company declined to discuss the reported negotiations.

DANIEL IS HELD ON ARSON CHARGE AFTER HEARING

Stafford Daniel, 17, of 135 Walker street, was bound over to state court Wednesday morning by Recorder A. W. Calloway on a charge of arson, following a preliminary hearing in connection with a fire at 205 South Pryor street last Sunday night.

Daniel and a young woman had been living in the residence for several days but had been told to leave Sunday night. The woman is being held for further investigation although she is not connected with the charges against Daniel, police stated.

According to H. A. Flowers, a boarder in the house, Daniel returned Sunday night and without explanation went to the room he had previously occupied. Flowers testified that Daniel left a few minutes later and shortly afterwards the bed in the room was found in flames.

The youth emphatically denied that he had set fire to the bed and further protested that he had been near the house Sunday night. The woman is being held for further investigation although she is not connected with the charges against Daniel, police stated.

Georgia Autoists Held in Maryland For Having Old Tags

According to a telegram received Wednesday by Secretary of State S. G. McLenon, several Georgia autoists recently have been arrested in Maryland for driving cars with a 1925 license tag. The telegram was from E. Austin Baulmann, motor vehicle commissioner of Maryland, who asked if Secretary McLenon wished any time extension to Georgians, adding that Maryland asks no extensions of other states.

Secretary McLenon informed Mr. Baulmann that under the Georgia law licenses are good until March 1 and that Georgians were, therefore, complying with the law of their own state in using the 1925 tags on machines.

The majority of other states require new tags after January 1 and for that reason the Georgia law which grants a two-month extension until March 1 is said to frequently cause confusion in other states.

ENGINEER TO SPEAK AT CITY CLUB MEET

J. Houston Johnson, engineer of the Georgia public service commission, will address the City club on "Regulation of Traffic and Transportation" at the next meeting of the club at the Piedmont hotel Thursday at 12:30 o'clock.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Outler, Jr., 11 Sutton street, a girl; December 13, 321 Central avenue, a boy; December 20.
To Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Clapp, 172 Park drive, a girl; December 15.
To Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Benveniste, 369 South Pryor street, a girl; December 21.
To Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mashburn, Jr., 313 North Boulevard, a boy; December 25.
To Mr. and Mrs. R. Christian, 1000 Grant street, a girl; December 25.
To Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McKee, 302 Lee street, a boy; December 27.
To Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith, 99 South Ashby street, a boy; December 28.
To Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Haver, 210 Lullwater road, a boy; December 23.
To Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Calhoun, 896 West Peachtree, a girl; December 21.
To Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Eason, 400 Central avenue, a girl; December 27.
To Mr. and Mrs. P. Anglin, 29 Van Buren street, a girl; December 31.
To Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Wagon, 99 Mansfield street, a girl; December 28.
To Mr. and Mrs. C. Post, Ridge avenue, a girl; December 31.
To Mr. and Mrs. S. Spaulding, 46 Formwalt street, a boy; December 31.
To Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Nations, 324 Bankhead avenue, a boy; December 30.
To Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Graham, 127 Powell street, a boy; December 28.
To Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Graves, 430 North Boulevard, a girl; December 26.
To Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Duke, 252 Glenridge drive, a boy; December 25.

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SKAGGS INSTALLED SAFETY COUNCIL HEAD

J. E. Skaggs, president of the Southeastern Express company, was formally installed as president of the Atlanta Safety council at its regular meeting Wednesday at noon at the Ansley hotel.

In addition to Mr. Skaggs, 16 other representatives of the Southeastern



J. E. SKAGGS.

Express company were present. These included W. F. Terrell, general manager; J. P. Blasingame, Florida agent, Jacksonville; L. B. Womack, general eastern agent, New York city; E. H. Mackinson, general western agent, Chicago; R. H. Vogel, general agent, Atlanta, and executives from various parts of the country.

Mr. Skaggs was introduced by James A. Holloman, retiring president, as "a man of patience and perseverance." The new president thanked members for the honor conferred upon him, stating that he "wanted the job, he did not know why, except that all the activities of the Express company which he represents embody safety."

He urged representatives of the company to assist in the safety movement at all times.

Heads of committees were appointed, as follows: Fire prevention, J. R. Bachman; membership, R. V. Bergen; Safe Drivers' club, Coke Davis; traffic, J. L. Edwards; highway safety, W. H. George; junior safety council, Mrs. George M. Housmon; parks and playgrounds, C. D. Knight; industrial, J. P. McGrath; publicity, George Ripley, Jr.; drivers' school, Joseph Reed; legislative, R. N. Reed; delivery superintendents, F. E. Shumate.

Before turning the gavel over to Mr. Skaggs, Mr. Holloman thanked members for their cooperation during his administration.

The press also came in for praise and the statistical report for 1925 and a brief summary of activities of the council during the year were read.

During the coming months, it was announced, President Skaggs will necessarily be absent from certain meetings, hence the following vice presidents were assigned the following dates to preside: J. R. Bachman, January 13; R. V. Bergen, January 20, and Coke Davis, January 27.

A rising vote of thanks was given Secretary George Doherty for his work during the past year. The next meeting is to be held Wednesday, January 13.

110 CONVICTS GIVEN PARDONS DURING 1925

Governor Clifford Walker pardoned 110 convicts during 1925, according to records at the executive offices and in prison commission offices. These pardons were exclusive of paroles and commutation of sentences.

Under the law the governor is empowered to pardon according to recommendations of the prison commission, or he may, if he wishes, disregard such recommendations, or may issue or deny clemency on his own motion. Of the 110 pardons granted during the past year it is said that 61 were without recommendation of the prison commission.

Figures were gathered following charges made by Judge John D. Hughes, of the Fulton superior court, to the grand jury, in which he declared, "it would be better to strip the pardoning board of its power rather than to allow it to be swayed by a sympathetic public."

Of the 110 pardons issued by the governor during the past 12 months the records show the following classification:

Murder, 12; manslaughter, 8; prohibition violation, 12; criminal assault, 9; embezzlement, 5; assault with intent to murder, 7; burglary, 6; robbery, 3; forgery, 4; automobile theft, 11; bigamy, 1; attempt to wreck a train, 1; felony, 11; larceny from house, 1; misdemeanor, 16; simple larceny, 2; unclassified, 11.

Classification of the 64 pardons issued on which the recommendation of the prison commission was not made, is given as follows:

Murder, 4; manslaughter, 2; prohibition violation, 2; criminal assault, 3; embezzlement, 2; assault with intent to murder, 4; burglary, 4; robbery, 1; automobile theft, 7; bigamy, 1; attempt to wreck a train, 1; felony, 7; larceny from house, 1; misdemeanor, 9; 12; unclassified, 3.

PROFESSIONAL MEN, WOMEN ARE SLOW SEEKING LICENSES

Claude C. Mason, of the Fulton county ordinary's office, Wednesday issued a warning to professional men and women of Fulton county who are subject to occupational taxes. He stated that not more than 200 have applied for their 1925 licenses out of approximately 2,000 who are subject to such taxes.

The law provides that persons coming under this provision shall obtain licenses the first of each year and a misdemeanor penalty is fixed for failure to comply.

**Body of Mrs. Chapman
Will Be Taken Friday
To Griffin for Rites**

The body of Mrs. R. V. Chapman, 67, who died Wednesday morning at the residence, 284 Sunset avenue, will be taken Friday to Griffin, Ga., for funeral services and interment. H. M. Patterson & Son are in charge. She is survived by three sons, C. S. Chapman, of Atlanta, Geo. S. Chapman and S. L. Chapman, of Atlanta, and one brother, Jonathan Smith, of Crest, Ga.

BROOKHART FILES RECOUNT PROTEST

Washington, January 6.—(AP)—Objection to the recount in the Brookhart-Stock Iowa senatorial contest was filed today with the senate elections subcommittee by Senator Brookhart's counsel on the ground that there were indications of irregularities in the handling of the ballots.

J. G. Mitchell, counsel for Senator Brookhart, declared there were 47 contested ballots unaccounted for and that ballots from 67 precincts had been received in unsealed mail sacks and opportunity had been given for tampering with them. He added, however, that there was no suggestion of any irregularities since the official supervisor, E. F. Thayer, now secretary of the senate, had taken over the ballots.

Of the ballots unaccounted for, Mitchell said, 43 Brookhart votes are missing and four more votes were than the official tabulation showed to have existed. He said the discrepancy had been found when counsel for both contestants recrossed the contested ballots.

The unsealed mail sacks, Mitchell said, contained 15,000 votes for one

candidate and 16,000 for the other. Chairman Ernst of the committee, considered the case, ruled that the objection to the unsealed mail sacks had been made too late and counsel for the two principals began argument over contested ballots. Later Mr. Mitchell said formal objection to the whole recount will be made to the full committee, and if necessary, to the senate proper.

NORCROSS WITNESSES MAD DOG SCARE

Norcross, Ga., January 6.—(Special.)—After an exciting chase of nearly a mile, Jim Newton, colored, succeeded in killing a dog, believed to be mad, which was fighting and biting every dog and cat in his path. The dog's head was sent to Atlanta and it was found to be affected with hydrophobia.

Dog killing was the order of the day immunitely, and the children and some of the adults are mourning the loss of their canine friends.

The children were in school and so far no reports of any person being bitten have been made.

City Club Meeting.

J. Houston Johnson, engineer of the Georgia public service commission, is to speak on "The Regulation of Traffic and Transportation in Atlanta" at the meeting of the City club to be held today at 12:30 o'clock at the Hotel Piedmont.

CAPTAIN M'KENZIE ON G. M. A. FACULTY

Captain J. R. McKenzie, formerly of St. Johns Military academy of Delafield, Wis., is the latest addition to the faculty of the Georgia Military academy at College Park. He will have charge of G. M. A.'s rifle squad preparatory to its entrance into several national shooting matches, including the shoot for the Astor cup. He also will act as tactical officer and director of small arm firing.

O. B. BISHOP REELECTED ADAIRSVILLE MAYOR

Adairsville, Ga., January 6.—(Special.)—At the election held today, Mayor O. B. Bishop was reelected without opposition.

During his administration the Georgia Railway and Power company completed its lines into the town; a white-wash has been installed; a new right-of-way for the Dixie highway has been secured.

R. L. McCollum was reelected councilman.

WOMEN VOTERS AGAIN NAME MRS. TURMAN

Mrs. R. L. Turman, prominent Atlanta club woman, was reelected Wednesday as president of the Atlanta League of Women Voters. Nominated with Mrs. Turman as officials for the coming year of the league are the following well-known women who will serve as directors, Mrs. C. K. Ayer, Mrs. J. P. Billups, Mrs. A. R. Brittain, Mrs. Fred Hodgson, Mrs. Ed. Neely and Mrs. B. M. Smith.

In expressing preferences for members of the committee of four Americans who will represent the United States on an international committee on "War and Peace," the names of the following eight prominent Americans were submitted: Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, Mrs. Alice Ames Winter, Mrs. Maude Wood Park, Miss Belle Sherwin, Justice William H. Taft, Senator Claude Swanson, Senator William E. Borah and Judge John Bassett Moore. After a spirited election to select four names from the list, Mrs. Catt, Mrs. Winter, Mrs. Park and Justice Taft were selected.

In Wednesday's election league members used the proportional representation count, considered by many as the most modern system of counting. Its use enabled members to see

the system in working order and it was favorably commented upon by many local members.

Throughout the balloting during the day for various officeholders it was stated that not one defective ballot was cast, indicating according to those in charge that the agitation for wider knowledge of the correct method of marking ballots is bearing fruit.

Mrs. Turman and other officers will meet Friday afternoon at league headquarters to lay plans for the present administration.

THOMAS JOHNSON GOES BACK TO SAVANNAH 'Y'

Savannah, Ga., January 6.—(Special.)—Thomas Johnson, for the past several years general state secretary of the Y. M. C. A., with headquarters in Atlanta, today assumed office as local secretary of the Savannah "Y." He was secretary here for several years, and went from this city to the state office in Atlanta.

Better Than Whiskey For Colds and Flu

The sensation of the drug trade is Aspirin, the two-minute cold and cough reliever, authoritatively guaranteed by the laboratories; tested, approved and most enthusiastically endorsed by the highest authorities, and proclaimed by the people as ten times as quick and effective as whiskey, rock and rye, or any other cold and cough remedy they have ever tried.

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drink at one swallow and call for your money back in two minutes if you cannot feel the distressing symptoms of your cold fading away like a dream, within the time limit. Don't be bashful, for all druggists invite you and expect you to try it. Everybody's doing it.

Take the remainder of the bottle home to your wife and children, for Aspirin is by far the safest and most effective, the easiest to take and the most agreeable cold and cough remedy for children as well as adults. Quickest relief for catarrhal croup and children's choking up at night—(adv.)

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Secretary Asserts Powers Are Interfering With Natural Laws of Supply and Demand.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.
(By Leased Wire to The Constitution and The Chicago Tribune.)

Washington, January 6.—"A growing menace in international commerce and relations," said J. Edgar Hoover, secretary of commerce, appearing before the house interstate and foreign commerce committee today, pronounced the governmentally monopolized production of rubber by Great Britain, coffee by Brazil and other raw materials and necessities of life by various nations.

Tells Weak, Frail, Skinny Folks How to Gain Five Pounds in Thirty Days

McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets Will Increase Your Weight 5 Pounds in 30 Days or Your Druggist is Authorized to Return Your Money.

No more will weak, thin, unfortunate children cry in protest when the nasty, fishy-tasting, horrible-smelling cod liver oil is brought out. Medical science progresses rapidly, and now you can get at your druggist's real, genuine cod liver oil in sugar-coated tablets that young and old can take with ease and pleasure. Even the run-down and skinny grown-ups, who ought to take cod liver oil, because it really is the greatest vitamin food and builder of healthy flesh in the world, will feel extremely joyful when they read this welcome news.

Thin, run-down, anemic men, women and children who need to grow strong and take on flesh are advised to get a box of McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets, and if you don't gain 5 pounds in 30 days your druggist is authorized to hand you back the money you paid for it.

One woman gained fifteen pounds in five weeks, according to her own doctor—another ten pounds in three weeks. A very sickly child, aged nine, gained 12 pounds in seven months, and now plays with other children and has a good appetite. Just ask for McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets, Jacobs' Pharmaceutical Co., or any druggist will tell you that they are wonderful flesh and health builders. Only 60 cents for 60 tablets—and don't forget that they are wonder workers for feeble old folks. Get McCoy's, the original and genuine, and beware of imitations. Millions of boxes sold yearly.—(adv.)

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other things, that the Coolidge administration had sought without success to induce Great Britain, Brazil and the other nations involved to abandon manipulation of the production price of the commodities in question. He submitted copies of correspondence passing between the department of commerce and state department, between the state department and the British and other governments, protesting against the monopoly practices. This move never got anywhere. The diplomatic replies were, for the most part, vague and indefinite. Great Britain took the position that the restriction of rubber output through governmental medium was all that saved the rubber industry from total collapse. The net result was the refusal of Great Britain and the other countries to heed the American protest.

The session of the committee was the opening of the house investigation of the artificial control of prices of rubber, coffee, Egyptian long staple cotton, camphor, iodine, nitrates, potash, mercury and sisal.

Nick Longworth Present.
An interested auditor was Speaker Longworth, who has denounced the British rubber monopoly as "a swindle."

"The world," said Mr. Hoover, "has seen attempts to set up private monopolies, but it is not until recently that we have seen governments receive a long-forgotten relic of medievalism and of war-time expediency by deliberately erecting official controls of trade in raw materials of which their nationals produce a major portion of the world's supply and through these controls arbitrarily fixing prices to all of the hundreds of millions of other people in the world."

Must Determine National Policy.
"It is this intrusion of governments into trading operations on a vast scale that raises a host of new dangers—the inevitable aftermath of any such efforts by political agencies to interfere with the normal processes of supply and demand. Our experience of the last 12 months with these controls has developed a series of fundamental questions which we can no longer ignore and upon which we must determine a national policy. These questions not only concern our own welfare, but also the welfare of consumers in 50 or more nations."

Nearly Double Fair Price.
For the articles controlled, the American consumer will pay in 1925, Mr. Hoover estimated, a total of \$1,200,000,000, which would be from \$500,000,000 to \$800,000,000 more than a fair price.

OXFORD ACADEMY OPEN FOR SPRING TERM

Oxford, Ga., January 6.—(Special.) The Emory University academy opened Wednesday, the boys returning from the holidays spent at their homes.

Of much interest here was the marriage of Lieutenant M. B. Boulware to Miss Virginia Wright, of Columbia, S. C., on December 22. Mrs. Boulware is a most charming addition to the faculty circle, and is receiving a cordial reception.

Miss Ella May Thornton Elected State Librarian



MISS ELLA MAY THORNTON.

Governor Clifford Walker on Wednesday appointed Miss Ella May Thornton, of Atlanta, state librarian, to succeed the late Mrs. Maud Barker Cobb.

Miss Thornton has been assistant state librarian for 17 years. She was endorsed as a candidate for the vacancy caused by the recent death of Mrs. Cobb by all the judges, members of the bar and capitol personnel.

ELLIN BERLIN BACK TO BATTLE FAMILY
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In her own home, surrounded by friends, given away by her own father, and with the best of wishes and the blessing of the churchly-robed priests of the same faith to which Mrs. Berlin belongs.

Wide Contrast In Weddings.
No wider contrast could be provided than the match which is, tomorrow afternoon, to make the Vanderbilt heiress the bride of Earl E. T. Smith and the hasty event at the Municipal building that made Ellin Mackay Mrs. Irving Berlin.

Opinions differed as to the reasons for the hasty leave-taking of Mr. and Mrs. Berlin from the Ritz Carlton hotel at Atlantic City this afternoon. One had it they were coming back for the Vanderbilt wedding; one that they came for a settlement of affairs with Clarence H. Mackay, her father; and still another that the bride, racked and nerve-broken by the publicity following her match, had determined to get out of the spotlight, regardless of any other considerations.

Run Publicity Gauntlet.
Pathetic things transpired in the running of the publicity gauntlet at Atlantic City today. A nervous, tearful bride, weeping and leaning heavily upon the arm of her husband, came from the presidential suite to the banquet room to pose for photographers. Cameras clicked; flashlights boomed.

The bride finally broke from the circle. She ran down two flights of stairs to the hotel lobby. Behind her, serious and tense, ran her newly-wed husband.

"What's the matter, dearie?" he asked, catching her in his flight. "Oh, I can't stand it any longer," she said, sobbing. "I am a nervous wreck."

"What do you mean?" came the question.

Unbosoms Herself of Troubles.
"A girl," she replied, "always looks forward to her honeymoon. How would you feel if you were hounded by newspaper men, photographers and curiosity-seekers on the one side, and then have your father and mother withholding their forgiveness and blessing on the other?"

"I love Irving more than anything else in all the world, but I have had the worst honeymoon that ever befell a bride. Irving has been wonderful to me, but we should have been all alone and enjoyed the good wishes of our parents."

She said their reservation for sailing on the Levathan Saturday had been cancelled because they could not get ready in time.

Will Be Married By Priest.
When she was asked if a religious ceremony would follow, all the spirit of the young woman instantly was aroused.

"You know," she said, "that I am a Roman Catholic and the church does not recognize a civil ceremony unless



She Could Never Have Done It With Piles!

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where first live lives of obedience themselves—obedience to the law of God and obedience to the law of the land. Then will we create such a dominant sentiment that it will dispel lawlessness as the sun dispels the fog."

Observe Law and Order Sunday.

These two articles by these prominent leaders are used by The Index to give emphasis to the observance of next Sunday as law and order Sunday throughout the United States. The other religious groups in Georgia are uniting, along with the Baptists, in this special emphasis on law observance, which the Federal Council of Churches has suggested. It is the hope of the church leaders that the preachers of the country will speak on this theme next Sunday, January 10, and that teachers in the Sunday schools of the state and nation will

also reinforce the idea. Parents in the homes are appealed to above all other leaders to give their leadership to the important matter.

The Index carries an editorial this week calling attention to the fact that this condition of lawlessness which is spreading throughout the nation will not be checked by spasmodic appeals, but that it is going to require the continuous work of all good citizens everywhere to set up anew in the thinking of the people the ideal of law observance as one of the marks of good citizenship.

BOARD IN MONROE ORGANIZES FOR YEAR

Forsyth, Ga., January 6.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the commis-

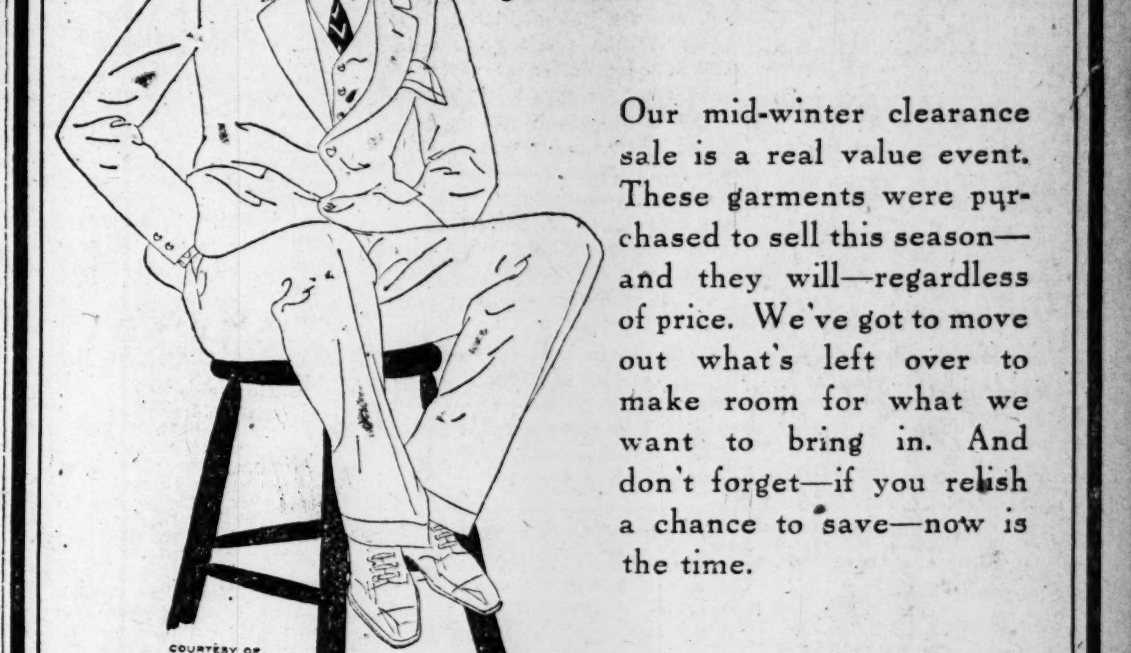
sioners of Monroe county yesterday in which their organization was perfected, J. H. McCowan was elected clerk, succeeding C. F. Heard. Mr. J. Will Dame was elected as one of the county policemen, succeeding Edwin Webb, recently resigned.

There are only two commissioners at present, G. A. Pennington, and Albert Garr. The present vacancy in the board was caused by the resignation of John H. Phinaze, who has been a member of the body for many years. He has accepted a position with the state highway department. His successor will be appointed at the February term of superior court. Colonel J. M. Fletcher was reelected county attorney.

Blackstrap, the by-product of the manufacture of cane sugar, is much relished by farm animals.

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BOARD REPOSSESSES PALMETTO SHIP LINE

Washington, January 6.—(AP)—The American-Palmetto line of six freighters running from South Atlantic to United Kingdom and north continental ports was repossessed today by the shipping board.

The line was sold last September to the Carolina company of Charleston, S. C., and the ships were taken back today by the board because of the competition which had developed with foreign steamship lines.

The line operates six freighters from south Atlantic ports to the United Kingdom and northern European ports. The board's course was made necessary, officials explained, by recent developments in foreign competition. It was the first action of the kind taken by the board since it took over several years ago the United States Mail lines and formed the United States lines, running out of New York to Europe.

The policy of giving every possible support, even to the extent of repossessing, to American lines, has been emphasized in recent months, during which the board has sold several government passenger and freight lines to private operators. The board intends to keep the American flag on the seas, it was stated, in the face of any foreign competitive conditions. Chairman O'Connor has recently discussed this situation with President Coolidge, and officials have asserted that the board intends to keep the flag on the seas despite any foreign competition which might develop.

The company, which had operated the line under contract prior to the purchase, had been encountering a loss of \$10,000 a month since that time, it was said, and consented to the arrangements effected today.

This loss was attributed largely to the action of British and German companies in placing additional ships on the route served by the Palmetto line and taking considerable business from it through frequent sailings.

1926 TO WITNESS HARD-SURFACING

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Chairman Holder said, an allotment has been made Chattanooga county to construct a project in that county this year and to finish it in 1927. By the end of 1927 the department expects this highway by Rome to be paved or surface-treated.

The chairman declared his belief that Christmas of 1926 would see a complete hard-surfacing highway between Atlanta and Macon by way of Jonesboro, Griffin, Barnesville and Forsyth, and that the highway from Atlanta to Chattanooga would be in good shape, with all work of grading and surfacing completed, except the actual hard surfacing, which would follow as soon as possible.

Tell of Road Horses.
Deploable road conditions found by motorists between Cartersville and Kennesaw was graphically described by Harry F. Miles, of Louisville, Ky., and Judge A. P. Cornett, of Harlan, Ky., who reached Atlanta Wednesday. According to Mr. Miles, who is a prominent automobile man and merchant of Louisville, their party of two

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Fulton Commission at First 1926 Session



Photo by Kenneth Rogers, Staff Photographer.

Above are shown members of the Fulton county commission and Henry M. Wood, veteran clerk of the commission. The photograph was made in the assembly hall at the courthouse Wednesday just before the first session of the year was begun. Seated is Mr. Wood. Others, left to right, are, Paul S. Etheridge, elected chairman of the board for 1926; L. N. Ragsdale, named chairman of the finance committee; Virlyn B. Moore, retiring chairman of the commission; Edwin F. Johnson, who was reappointed chairman of the public works committee, and Captain George Hope, elected vice chairman.

Mountain School Menaced by Fire Fought by Pupils

Sautee, Ga., January 6.—(Special.) Fire of undetermined origin broke out in the grammar school building of the Nacoochee Institute tonight at 7:30 o'clock and but for the heroic work of the students and faculty members, not only that building but possibly others of the institution would have been destroyed.

Most of the pupils were in the study hall, close by, when the fire alarm was sounded at the grammar school building and by concerted action, the damage of the flames was confined to the inside of the building.

J. Knox Coit is president of the institute, which is a Presbyterian school for mountain children.

No one was injured and there will be no interruption of school work. President Coit announced tonight in commending the students for their valiant fight in extinguishing the flames.

Cars leaving Cartersville at 5:15 Tuesday evening after being advised that the road was closed but that the detour was possible, though difficult, and that teams had been placed on the detour to assist cars in getting through.

He and Judge Cornett reached Marietta at 12:30 Wednesday morning. Six hours and 45 minutes' time and a total towing charge of \$43 was spent by the two cars.

"The first time we were stuck two horses were able to dislodge us from the mud, for this we paid \$3 for each car. The second time it required four animals to move the car, and for this we again paid \$3 per car. The third time, a double team was again able to move us forward and for this we paid \$2 per car. The fourth time we were stuck, \$10 per car was the best bargain we could strike with the teamsters. After we got out of this particular hole we hired trucks to take us to the highway, for which one car paid \$3 and the other \$4, making a total towing charge of one dollar of \$43 for the two cars," said Mr. Miles.

Working on Road.
Chairman Holder, of the Georgia highway commission, announced Wednesday that work had been begun in earnest to make a temporary road, passable in all weather, through the stretch that is torn up just north of Acworth. This work, he said, would be finished during the week.

Late Wednesday, W. H. Nichols, president of the Acworth Board of Trade, and W. J. Clark, construction engineer, wired The Constitution that the state highway department has teams at Acworth to pull cars out of the mire without charge, and that the situation "is being handled the best we can under the circumstances."

"The state highway department is keeping teams at Acworth to pull cars through the mire," the telegram said. "The road is otherwise impassable. No case can be found where state highway forces have charged for this service. Certain individuals have told tourists that the highway department had no teams in order to charge them exorbitant prices. The situation is being handled as best we can under the circumstances."

10 PER CENT SALARY INCREASE IS VOTED

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was done in the county in 1925 than in 1924, the report further showed.

Mr. Etheridge succeeded Virlyn B. Moore as chairman of the commission. Mr. Moore expressed deep appreciation to members of the board for their faithful service and cooperation during the past year and stated that he felt the board could not do better than name as chairman Mr. Etheridge, who was vice chairman during 1925.

Pledges Economy Rule.
The new board head pledged his best efforts in the administration of affairs of the county. He said he will favor a policy of strict economy during his administration.

Captain Hope, the new vice chairman, has been a member of the commission for several years and is regarded as one of its most conservative members.

Members of the commission in addition to Mr. Etheridge, Mr. Hope and Mr. Moore, are Mr. Johnson and L. N. Ragsdale.

Chairman Etheridge reappointed the following committees:
Finance, Ragsdale, chairman; Etheridge and Moore, Public works, Johnson, chairman, Hope and Etheridge, Public buildings—Etheridge, chairman, Hope and Moore, Police—Moore, chairman, Johnson and Ragsdale, Alms and juveniles—Hope, chairman, Ragsdale and Johnson.

Johnson Is Honored.
Reelection of Mr. Johnson as head of the public works committee for the second consecutive year almost sets a record. During the past 15 years this has been done only once, it was said. Members of the commission were high in their praise of the work of the committee during the past year and expressed the desire that Mr. Johnson continue as its head.

Mr. Ragsdale, chairman of the finance committee, called a meeting of this body for next Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock, at which time plans for the coming year will be mapped out.

Henry M. Wood, veteran clerk of commission, Wednesday began his twenty-seventh consecutive year of service, and many friends called during the afternoon to congratulate him.

INDORSES SUNDAY AMUSEMENT MOVE

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in the summer at hours which will make them available for workers." Mr. Marquardt said a feeling of discrimination has been noticed for years in labor circles in Atlanta.

Aid to City's Growth.
"If the movement is carried out successfully it would make Atlanta a more popular city for the workers and would make it more attractive in many ways to people who seek employment here," he said.

Mr. Hoffman, who is the new president of the Atlanta chamber of commerce, in making his original suggestion, pointed out the value of Atlanta taking action which will provide additional recreational lines for workers. He said this was necessary because of the increasing number of industries and the constantly growing number of workers who are coming here to be employed in these industries.

Many other benefits will follow the success of such a movement, Mr. Hoffman said.

AUTO ACCIDENTS CLAIM 69 LIVES

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944, 43 of which were fatal and 901 non-fatal. The total number of motor vehicle accidents reported to the police department involving property damage only was 1,168.

Accidents Near City.
In addition to 43 motor vehicle fatalities occurring in the city limits, Atlanta is charged by the United States bureau of census with 28 additional deaths resulting from accidents occurring outside the city limits, bringing the total to 69 motor vehicle fatalities for the city during the past 12 months.

In 1924 there were 31 deaths inside the city limits resulting from motor vehicle accidents, and 27 were added by the bureau of census on account of deaths in the city resulting from accidents outside, a total of 58. This would indicate that the increase of 12 deaths in 1925 is directly chargeable to Atlanta proper, the safety council says.

While the total number of accidental deaths in 1925 shows an increase, fatal accidents to children in the age group 5-14 decreased, it was shown, and the safety council pointed out that this fact would indicate that safety work being done in the elementary schools is effective.

Practically the entire increase in fatal accidents is found in the age group 15-54, the greatest contributors being between the ages 15 to 24, this group having 58 per cent of the fatal

accidents, and age 16 scoring 11 per cent of these.

Of the 43 fatal and 1,214 non-fatal motor vehicle cases, pedestrians were involved in 29 fatal (seven children under 15 years and 22 adults) and 422 non-fatal (108 children and 314 adults). The other causes were two fatal and 449 injuries from motor vehicle collisions; four deaths and 74 injuries from collisions between motor vehicles and street cars; one death and 35 injuries from collision with wagon; four deaths and 65 injuries from collision with fixed objects, and three deaths and 105 injuries from non-collision accidents.

DEFEAT OF FIGHT ON WORLD COURT SEEN

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will have to work so hard and so fast that world court discussion will go by the board until after March 1. Therefore, the world court opponents in the senate will have to maneuver and filibuster only for the week or ten days to come in order to effect such a delay in further world court discussion. Meanwhile, they hope to rally the country with their "campaign of education" against the court.

Senator Reed, who, when he speaks on a question that is at once vexed and momentous, always convinces the senate that the golden age of vituperation did not end with Junius, was in excellent form today. He made one of his characteristic "I want to know" speeches, indicative of his Missouri habit.

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Time Loans	5,588,948.60	Surplus Fund	1,000,000.00
Bonds and Stocks owned by the Bank	3,244,561.35	Undivided Profits, less Current Expenses, Interest and Taxes Paid	551,280.26
Banking House	1,343,741.27	Due to Banks and Bankers in this State	5,634,985.86
Furniture and Fixtures	137,630.51	Individual Deposits Subject to Check	1,167,575.84
Other Real Estate	264,670.35	Cashier's Checks	174,532.18
Cash in Vault and Amount Deposited in Banks	228,207.36	Reserve for Interest, Taxes, etc.	238,110.06
Other Assets not included in the Above	45,083.66	Real Estate Mortgage Bonds	200,000.00
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how much commission the bankers were paid and what discounts they received for floating the loans. Then I want to find out if these gentlemen have not put forth this propaganda. I want to know who it is who insists that these foreign debts to private individuals shall be paid in full while the taxpayers of America are forced to meet losses because the foreign debts to the United States government are not paid."

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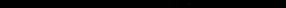
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Bayne Southpaw, Added to Cracker Pitching Staff

Quit Winter Park As Training Spot; Others Considered

BY H. C. HAMILTON

The most important baseball deal of the winter was closed Wednesday when President Dan Michalove, boss of the Atlanta club, announced the purchase of Pitcher William L. Bayne, southpaw, from the Tulsa club of the Western league. The transaction was an outright purchase for a sum closely approaching \$5,000.

Bayne, a former collegian, who went straight to the St. Louis club of the American league, and worked solely as a relief pitcher in that league, is a hurler of great promise. He stayed several years with George Sisler's club before it was decided to turn him into the minor leagues, and even now he is considered a very fine prospect. He uses a wide sweeping curve ball with a very sharp break.

Records do not look awe-inspiring against this young pitcher's name, but this, according to President Michalove, is one time when figures at least lean towards the wrong side. For Tulsa last summer he was able to win only seven games, as against 18 lost.

With St. Louis in 1923 he appeared in 19 baseball games, but his average shows two won and the same number lost. He did not complete a single game. His average in 1924 is just as queer, for he appeared in 21 games that year, completed none, but was credited with one victory and three defeats.

Pitching Staff Strong. With Bayne and Wernecke added to the Cracker pitching staff there will be assembled, when the team starts for its Florida training camp, an unusually strong class A pitching corps. Wernecke and Bayne, in fact, along with some of those who held down the pennant for last season, undoubtedly will carry the brunt of the pitching burden. Wernecke's record shows that out of 36 ball games he is credited with having appeared in, he completed 20. He pitched six for other pitchers, and is officially credited with having won 20 and lost 11 games, a startling record. He is a right hander.

The acquisition of Bayne gives the Cracker's three southpaws, for Wernecke and Cavet also are members of the staff.

That some pruning will be necessary soon after the club reaches Florida is a foregone conclusion, for the Cracker cannot carry the number of hurlers whose names now are

1926 ATLANTA BOXING BOARD IS ANNOUNCED

The 1926 Atlanta boxing commission was announced at the office of Mayor Sims yesterday afternoon as follows:

Alderman W. B. Hartsfield, chairman; Alderman Claude E. Buchanan and Fuzzy Woodruff, representing the American Legion.

The city council voted two months ago to cut the personnel of the commission to three members, instead of five, as formerly.

Chairman Hartsfield announced he would call a meeting of the body at an early date, and indicated the commission would actively seek a number of good boxing contests for the city of Atlanta during the ensuing year.

The year 1925 was not prolific from the standpoint of pugilistic encounters in Atlanta, during which time fight fans here were forced to look elsewhere for their entertainment.

The rules for naming the commission require that two be selected from city officials and the third from the city at large. Hartsfield and Buchanan are chairman and vice chairman, respectively, of the city council police committee. Woodruff is a local newspaper man who thoroughly understands the boxing game and the situation in Atlanta especially.

E. Walter Trippie is chairman of the retiring boxing commission.

LIGHTER BALL NOT REJECTED, BRITON SAYS

New York, January 6.—(AP)—Denying that a larger and lighter golf ball recommended by the United States Golf association has been rejected by English officials, W. Norman Bonse, chairman of the championship committee of the Royal and Ancient Golf club of St. Andrews, today asserted there was "no difference of opinion."

On the subject between the ruling links organizations of America and England.

Mr. Bonse, who is in this country on a business trip, declared, however, that the Royal and Ancient club had not approved the suggestion that the new ball be played exclusively in 1926 championship events in both countries. It was deemed unfair, he said, to use the championship tournaments for experimental purposes.

He said he felt "quite certain that if and when the two bodies decide that it is necessary for the good of the game that the ball shall be limited, any change that is made will be made by both bodies simultaneously."

The proposal of the U. S. G. A. would increase the diameter of the present ball from 1.62 inches to 1.68 inches, while its weight would be reduced from 1.62 ounces to 1.55. The general impression had prevailed in this country that English golfers objected to the change because it was believed atmospheric conditions abroad would greatly affect so light a ball.

Agreement between the two bodies is expected to be reached finally next summer at an international conference in England, at which W. C. Fownes, Jr., of Pittsburgh, nominee for president of the United States G. A., will represent this country.

TWO CHANGES ARE POSSIBLE IN GRID RULES

New Haven, Conn., January 6.—(AP) Two possible changes in football rules for next season are discussed by William S. Langford, secretary of the football rules committee, in the Yale Daily News today. There may be some discussion about restricting or limiting of the forward pass, he said, and the point-after-touchdown ruling probably will be brought up at the committee meeting for revision.

Mr. Langford does not believe the football season can be shortened any more than at present and expresses the opinion that the big three agreements to start practice about September 15 is dangerous. Teams are played, he points out, which have four weeks training, while those bound by the agreement have only two.

He criticizes the "cash value being placed on football by the betting which is so generally being carried on by the alumni and the various universities," and characterizes the feature of football at the present time as "the demand for victory."

SINCE the 1925 season closed and the Cracker's dropped the Dixie championship to Fort Worth, Michalove has obtained three new hurlers. Heading the list is Cliff Markie, a right-hander, who will be remembered as previously a valuable member of the Cracker's. He was purchased from St. Paul. Then there was Sam Wernecke, who as a prospect for a class A league looks as good in figures as any pitcher in the country. Wednesday the purchase of Bill Bayne was announced, adding strength to the southpaw division of the club.

To back up this array Michalove has entered negotiations for Niehaus, a first baseman of class; has purchased Ellerbe, third baseman, and has promised the return of either Zoeller or Culp to the Yankees.

IN ADDITION to this, there is McKrone, a first baseman purchased from Asheville last fall, which gives the Cracker's three first basemen if the deal for Niehaus is consummated. Rod Murphy is still the property of the Cracker's.

What will happen in the general comparison of ball players when this gang reports for service is something to be only guessed at. It will take no little brute strength to push Red Smith away from third base, which makes it tough for Ellerbe, but Red may be sent to the outfield, where he is quite at home.

THE CRACKERS still are shy a shortstop, for Mike Gazella was sold to the Yankees. And, despite what some of the fans in this town may think, it is very doubtful if he will be back. He is too fast at covering ground to be overlooked by the American league, even though he might be dropped by the Yankees.

This defect in the Cracker lineup already has been plugged, however, according to Dan Michalove. A deal has been completed by which a shortstop will be sent to Atlanta, but he has not been selected definitely and announcement of his addition to the lineup will be made later. Either one of several men, however, is acceptable to Michalove.

TRACY MATHEWSON, the Fox movie photographer, just back from Tuscaloosa, where he "shot" the conquering heroes of Alabama's football team, retold a story broadcast by Pooley Hubert, which will bear another voyage in this column. Hubert, leaving the field after the hectic battle with Washington university, caught up with a Washington player who also was beating it for the showers.

"Say," the Washington Husky asked, "how in the world did you guys ever lose the civil war?"

GOVERNOR WILLIAM BRANDON also contributed one for posterity to laugh over, according to Tracy. The governor, whose rolling voice shook the rafters of Madison Square Garden when he persisted in nominating Oscar W. Underwood for the democratic presidential nomination at the last convention, was making a speech to the football team and other Alabama students.

"I've changed my vote," said the governor. "Instead of saying 'Alabama casts 24 votes for Oscar W. Underwood,' I'm going to make it 'Alabama casts 20 to 19 for Alabama.'"

WHEN ALABAMA CAME HOME



Photo by Tracy Mathewson.

These exclusive photographs depict incidents in the arrival at Tuscaloosa Monday of the Alabama football team, which defeated Washington university New Year's day. At the top Captain Bruce Jones, of the Crimson Tide, is shown greeting Miss Christine Woods, of Jasper, Ala. To the left the very well-known Pooley Hubert is pictured as he took his hat off and made a speech to the great throng of well-comers at the Tuscaloosa railway station.



Sportively Speaking
by
H. C. HAMILTON.
Cracker Boss Busy.
Shortstop Still Missing.
Southern Fighters.

JAKE SCHAEFER REGAINS TITLE FROM BELGIAN

Chicago, January 6.—(AP)—Young Jake Schaefer, twice former champion, today regained the world's title at 182 poundline billiards to the United States, when he defeated Edouard Horemans, Belgian titleholder, 1,500 to 800 after three 500-point blocks of play.

The score for the final 500-point block today was Schaefer 500, Horemans 318.

Schaefer compiled the phenomenal average of 93.12 for his 16 innings during the two nights and afternoon of play. It has not been long, however, since the loser's average of 55.10-16 would have been considered excellent.

The contest was forced upon Horemans by Schaefer who threatened to "shoot" the middle of their last match unless the little Belgian would agree winner or loser, to meet him again inside a month.

Schaefer became enraged over a decision by the referee, J. Herbert Lewis, of Chicago. He would not agree to Lewis for this afternoon's match and Charles Peterson, of St. Louis, the trick shot expert was the third man at the table.

Erich Hagelbacher, the German champion, will meet Schaefer next.

Chickasaws Buy Ed Cousineau

Memphis, January 6.—(Special).—With the rival rivalry of Clyde Milan, manager of the Chickasaws, a conference with Tom Watkins, president of the Memphis club, before their departure Friday night for the minor league meeting, it was announced that Memphis had purchased Ed Cousineau, a catcher, from the Rochester club.

Cousineau, who has been carried off and on by the Braves the past four seasons, finished last season with Scranon, of the New York State league, where he batted .294. Milan stated that he had several deals in sight and some material on hand for trading purposes, though he would not disclose any names.

Rescues Coon From Dogs, But Loses His Fingers

Harry Chadwick, a southern coon hunter, is run around with the end of his finger chewed off. Harry has a friend he promised a brace of live ringtails. He fulfilled his promise. "But, snags all in 'em," says Harry. "I'm growing" th' finger back gradual. Y'r see when th' coon hit th' ground I grabbed 'im quick to keep the dogs from chewin' 'im up and the darned bounk took his spite out of my finger."

Harvard Plays Ball During Winter Months

Harvard will construct a baseball cage, which will be ready for use a year hence on Soldiers' field, its big athletic ground. It will be 190 feet square. Amherst, Bowdoin and Andover now have covered buildings about the same size as Harvard's.

M'Graw Giving Attention To Hurling Staff of '26

BY WESTBROOK PEGLER.

(By Leased Wire to The Constitution and Chicago Tribune.) New York, January 6.—Although the robin of springtime hasn't begun to rehearse its glad song yet, the ballyhoo fowl has chartered a nest among the gargoyles outside John J. McGraw's window and is doing its croupy best to chirp the note of the harbinger.

The baseball season is neither here nor there at present, but the weeks are gliding by, as predicted, and Mr. McGraw is now engaged in recruiting his New York Giants and also in recruiting interest in the same. His Giants varied the monotony of John McGraw's life by losing the pennant of the National league last fall and the latter weeks of the season found the cash trade drifting to the movies, the race tracks, or, for comic relief, to the Yankee ball yard across the Harlem where Babe Ruth and Miller Huggins were giving daily renditions of a humorous tableau entitled "you made me slug you; I didn't want to do it."

John J. McGraw is attending to the reconstruction of his ball team and the ballyhoo fowl has undertaken to rally the clientele.

Thus, when John J. McGraw sees a chance to strengthen his club, he does so, and the talented fowl, leaping into the fog, circles the town three times with excited cries of: "Master mind signs left-handed bat, boy in pennant quest," or "Master mind signs star popcorn boy of Cedar Rapids."

Under the rules of organized baseball it is forbidden to announce more than one transaction at a time, in order that the ballyhoo fowl may herald each acquisition separately.

Interested in Pitchers. Late Mr. McGraw has been interested in pitchers. He is always interested in pitchers, for that matter, but last season he was most interested in other people's pitchers, particularly those employed by his boss-enemy, Mr. B. Dreyfuss, of Pittsburgh. Mr. McGraw had some pitchers of his own, but one of them had a mild attack of old age, another one had a girl friend, and another one performed the remarkable feat of spraining an ankle on a slippery bath-mat in a hotel room which had no bath. Then Travis Jackson, his shortstop, had a sudden case of sore leg, and another important member of the staff, accustomed to Mr. McGraw's pithy pleasantries as voiced from the bench, had a sudden attack of sore head. And, altogether, Mr. McGraw was lucky that he didn't have to take a few turns in the infield himself, in all his abundant flesh.

Thus far, Mr. McGraw has disposed of three athletes, one pitcher and two suspects, named Jack Bentley, Wayland Dean, and Walter Huntzinger, respectively. Although Bentley is a left-hander, he always was rational until he and Dean were traded to the Phillies for the rotund Jimmie Ring. Then he became abnormal, announcing that he was glad to go to Philadelphia.

Alienists say this is a sure sign, and Mr. McGraw is being felicitated on his very timely deal.

Cards Get Huntzinger. After two years with the Giants, Huntzinger had shown no sign of becoming a hardened pitcher, and he may never evince such symptoms. But anyway, Mr. McGraw has placed him in a spot where he can do no great harm to the Giants, even if he becomes

How, however, suspension was a boon to Barnes, for a manufacturer of non-skid bath mats paid him \$500 to sign a testimonial saying: "I heartily recommend the non-skid bath mat and will always use it when bathing in my imaginary bath."

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HARVARD OUT TO RECAPTURE LOST LAURELS

Boston, January 6.—Harvard may be down, as far as football is concerned, but she isn't quite out.

With a new head coach to succeed Bob Fisher, both old grads and undergraduates have a faint hope that the Crimson will make a new bid and recoup to some extent her long lost football fortunes.

There's an unwritten law that the head coach must be a man who earned his blue-ribbed sheepskin within the hazy and ivy-draped walls of John Harvard's school for boys, and this religiously followed rule is delaying the selection of Fisher's successor.

The significant angle to the situation, however, appears to be the fact that Harvard, once at the very top of the football heap, at last realizes she is near the bottom. Three losing years in a row have had their effect, and the young men who like to go to college where good football is played are beginning to pass up Harvard and select other colleges.

The seriousness of the state of affairs from a Harvard viewpoint at least, is brought home to the Crimson alumni by the trouble the athletic committee is having in finding a suitable Harvard grad who will accept the coaching position. One man refused an opportunity to become head coach, giving the pressure of business as his reason, while another indignantly said he wouldn't take the job.

"We don't like to discuss the situation," is the way several members of the athletic committee dismiss the subject.

But Major Fred W. Moore, graduate treasurer of athletics, says "foolish propaganda about the over-emphasis of college football is causing the trouble. It may be over-emphasized, he explains, but the editors of college papers who are continually offering suggestions don't know what they are talking about. Harvard wants a winning team and when we get one there will be no complaints at Harvard about over-emphasis of the game."

Bob Fisher, who insists he is through after coaching Crimson teams for seven years, agrees with Major Moore. "I don't blame Red Grange," he said recently when the Illinois star turned to professionalism but the head of the overemphasis in full swing. "I would have done as he did, if I had been in his shoes."

The opinions of these two men on the same time they love and always play fairly may not mean so much, but as one prominent alumnus points out, "they prove that the football troubles at Harvard are deplorable."

Landis Arrives At Los Angeles

Los Angeles, January 6.—(AP)—Keweenaw Mountain Landis, baseball's final arbiter, arrived in Los Angeles today to attend the annual convention of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, January 12 to 14, at Catalina Island.

A big crowd was out to greet the commissioner, who had not visited southern California for 33 years. Smiles wreathed his face when his eyes caught welcoming signs hung about the station platform, but he assumed a somewhat brusque air when questioned on baseball matters.

"No statements to make," he said.

Epworths Will Play Four Games Tonight

Due to the Oakland City girls' and boys' teams withdrawing from the Epworth League Basketball association, the schedule that was arranged for the first half of January had to be revised. The changes will be published the day of each game.

Tonight the teams will play as follows: College Park vs. Trinity at 6:30. St. Johns vs. Fairview.

Capitol View vs. Grant Park. Wesley Memorial vs. Park Street.

NEW SOUTHERN LEAGUERS

RALPH E. FRASER, Outfielder, Birmingham.

Born, Washington, D. C., May 9, 1899.

Height, 5 feet, 9 inches. Weight, 164 pounds.

Bats right-handed. Throws right-handed.

Clubs in 1925—Reading, International league, and Hartford, Eastern league.

First engagement—Frederick, Blue Ridge league, 1917.

Clubs since then—Frederick, 1918; Muskegon, Central league, 1920; York, independent teams, 1920 to 1924, inclusive; Rutland and Quebec, Quebec Ontario league, 1924; New York Nationals, spring training, 1925.

Best feat—Leading Quebec Ontario league in hitting, 1924.

1925 record with Reading—Games, 61; at bat, 191; hits, 65; doubles, 12; triples, 2; home runs, 2; sacrifices, 2; stolen bases, 3; batting average, .330. Put outs, 103; assists, 6; errors, 0; fielding average, 1.000.

His record in 1925 with the Eastern league averages not compiled.

Jones and Hagen May Not Meet

Tampa, Fla., January 6.—(AP)—Chance of Bobby Jones and Walter Hagen meeting on a Florida golf course has been widened and probably will not take place this season, it was announced here today.

A match between the two great golfers was scheduled to take place at Sarasota on January 15, but it was said today this has been cancelled and a foursome in which Jones and Tommy Armour will be paired against Jim Barnes and Johnny Farrell, will be substituted.

No reason was given for the calling off of the Jones-Hagen match.

Barnes and Farrell will meet Archie Compston and Arnold Massey, the international team, here Sunday. In a workout today where the Hagen-Farrell match was played, Barnes and Farrell won 18 holes in 70. This is the second time Barnes has turned in a 69, first performing the feat last year.

This record was equalled last year by Freddie McLeod in the Florida open championship tournament.

Foster Is President Forrest Hills Club

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BILLIARD CHAMPION MARRIED SECRETLY

Rock Island, Ill., January 5.—(AP) Robert Canefax, three-cushion billiard champion of the world, was secretly married here late yesterday to Miss Florence Kingsmore, of Lorain, Ohio. Canefax gave his age as 35 and his bride as 23. He said he planned to defend his title next October after completing a vaudeville contract with his wife.

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Colored Glass Targets Replace Transparent

The pastime of shooting glass balls or bottles which has long been practiced in England, was said to have been originated from the amusement in this country by Ira Payne, Captain Bogardus, Dr. Carter and other prominent shots. The first balls used at this sport were plain hollow spheres of colorless glass. Subsequently they were made of blue or amber glass and filled with feathers; later the spheres were checked to prevent the shot from glancing.

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MONTE CARLO

By E. PHILLIPS OPPENHEIM

SYNOPSIS.

Sir Hargrave Wendover, country gentleman and financier, calls on a famous London physician for examination, and is told he cannot live for more than six or eight months. Wendover takes the blow standing, and decides to go on with his plans for the winter as though nothing had happened. However, feeling the urge to give a lift to some poor one who is in need of help, he offers Violet Martin and a member of her family a vacation at Monte Carlo. He persuades her fiancé, Robert, to act as her brother and they tell Sir Hargrave they will go. In Monte Carlo their host tells them they are free to do as they please, his acquaintance with the charming Princess Stephanie Putulka, who is in love with him, but he finds himself falling in love with Violet.

INSTALLMENT XXII.

A PROPHECY COMES TRUE.

Stephanie's hand touched Hargrave's arm. She glanced backward into the recesses of the garden. He followed her example, and rose to his feet. Just then the one person who had sufficient courage to accost them crossed the tessellated pavement. Stephanie paused, although with obvious reluctance.

"I pray," the comtesse said, "that I do not intrude. Dear Stephanie, I ask something of you. You will present me to your companion, please?"

Stephanie for a moment was silent. It was probable that Fedora Fayaldi was the only woman in the world from whom she would have suffered this intrusion. As it was, she simulated resignation.

"Hargrave," she confided, "this is one of my dearest friends, although sometimes, as at this moment, a nuisance. Sir Margrave Wendover—the Comtesse Fayaldi."

Hargrave bent over the offered hand—offered with a graceful little droop of the fingers for his lips.

"Madame la Comtesse arrived only this evening, I am told," he said. "Only this evening," he replied. "You will talk to me for a little while? I have something to say."

Stephanie turned regretfully away. There were other of her guests who had the right to expect her notice.

"Soon I shall return," she said. "I leave you together with all confidence. Fedora—my dearest friend, by-the-by—loves only the wild spirits of her mountains, and you, dear man—"

"And what of me?" he asked, as she hesitated slightly.

"They say that Fedora has second sight," Stephanie replied. "She may find out more about you than I know myself."

She left them alone. There was no trace of a smile upon the comtesse's face as she accepted the chair which Hargrave placed for her. She was very serious, very much in earnest.

"Monsieur does not believe in second sight?" she ventured.

"There is nothing in the world which I disbelieve," he answered, "and very little which I believe."

"It is a speech which has the makings of an epigram, but it is not philosophy," she observed. "Perhaps I shall make you believe. Who knows?"

"In what, madam?"

"In what I tell you."

Hargrave, matter of fact almost to the point of materialism, was conscious of a sudden disturbance. Her eyes were like great pools of light, although much of their expression had gone. Her fingers were resting upon his wrist.

"Now and then in life," she continued, "one meets some one like you—some one whose knowledge of their own fate is reflected in their face. I watched you at dinner time, I could not eat. I was aching all the time to reach you."

"I never realized that I was an object of so much interest," he remarked, a little startled.

"I am not that," she explained, calmly. "You have the hidden things in your face which so few of us understand—, for one. Test me. You will be surprised. You do not know what to ask? Then listen. I arrived in Monte Carlo this afternoon. I have never heard of you before. I know nothing whatever about you. You have just escaped from death. The shadow of death is around you all the time."

"I have just escaped," he admitted, with a slight start, "from what might have been a very serious accident."

"It might have been death," she persisted. "And it is not yet finished. Within forty-eight hours death will threaten you again."

"You are rather alarming," he observed. "Can you tell me what I have done to deserve these unwelcome attentions?"

"That is naturally outside my province," she answered. "I find that you have an enemy ranged against you in the ordinary affairs of life who tests your courage and your fortune. So far you have escaped, but it is not that which interests me. Monsieur Sir Hargrave, do you carry with you any secret knowledge—the knowledge of death?"

He looked at her fixedly.

"Why do you ask that question?"

"I am foolish that I ask it," she admitted. "There is no necessity. I ask what I already know. You walk through life by day, you lie in your bed by night, with the ghost of death by your side."

"Comtesse," he said, uneasily, "I am glad the whole world has not your perceptions."

Her eyes were set in a dreamy stare. She looked not at him but through him. Her tone had become monotonous. She was like one who reads from a written page.

"There it is in your brain and your heart," she went on, "and there is another weakness, a new thing to you, not yet come to flower. It is like the wonder of the joy of my forests. It is like the vision of an oasis in the sandy wastes of a desert life. Will you reach it, I wonder? Will you pull down the pine boughs of my trees and revel in their perfume? Will you drink from those springs in the cool places, or shall you miss the wonders you are finding so late in life?"

Hargrave moved restlessly in his chair. Even his composure had gone. Every nerve in his body was tense. His heart was throbbing.

"Where on earth do you come from, and who are you?" he demanded.

"Never mind," she answered. "The almanacs would satisfy your curiosity. Stephanie would tell you what my life's history has been, but I am also one of the few in the world who are without any real home, or who belong neither to this world nor any other that we know of."

The music suddenly changed to obey the whim of a royal personage. The strains of a modern waltz floated out into an atmosphere surcharged with other things. The comtesse leaned back in her chair, and laughed. Her eyes had lost their fixed look. Her lips had become intensely human. Hargrave, who was still half dazed, looked at her in astonishment. The music and the sound of the different voices beyond the palms caught him up, too, in a marvelous wave of reassured modernity. From the distance, the princess, escaped from her duties, came hastening toward them.

"Well," she asked, looking from one to the other.

"Your chef d'orchestre," the comtesse replied, "has much to answer for."

Hargrave, leaning back in the corner seat of his limousine, drove home in the pearl gray morning, faint lines of rose and salmon pink showing through a haze of violet over the peaks of the mountains. Monte Carlo itself was indulging in its brief beauty sleep. It was a little late for the roysterers, too early for the street cleaners. The birds alone disturbed a silence beautiful even to fantasy. The sea, as he turned downward again toward the villa, lay like a sheet of placid glass, undisturbed by a single ripple. It was to watch it that Hargrave was leaning out of the window of the car as it went in at the avenue. From the steps of the terrace, advancing with flying footsteps toward them, her hands upraised above her head, her ungirdled dressing gown floating behind her, her limbs like the limbs of a young Diana, came Violet through the lightening twilight, horror on her face, words of terror breaking from her lips.

"Stop!" she cried. "Stop the car! Stop where you are!"

Crash went the brake, grinding against the hubs. The avenue was steep, and they stopped within a few yards. The car swung round. Hargrave leaped to his feet, had scarcely steadied himself before a dark figure sprang from a great syringa bush, crossed the avenue, and plunged into the shrubbery. There was the glimmer of a pale face as the intruder disappeared, a queer yellow streak of fire, and the crack of a pistol as his arm swung out. The bullet missed Hargrave and buried itself in the coachwork of the car. There was a crash in the bushes—then silence.

"Come on Johnson! After him!" Hargrave cried.

Johnson was ready enough, but from the first they had little chance.

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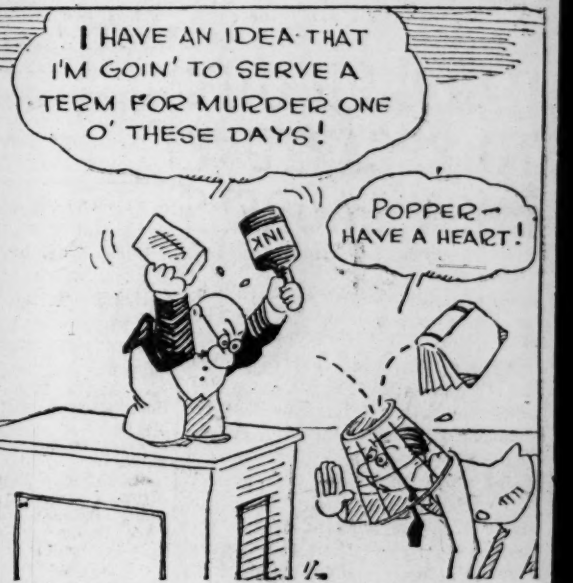
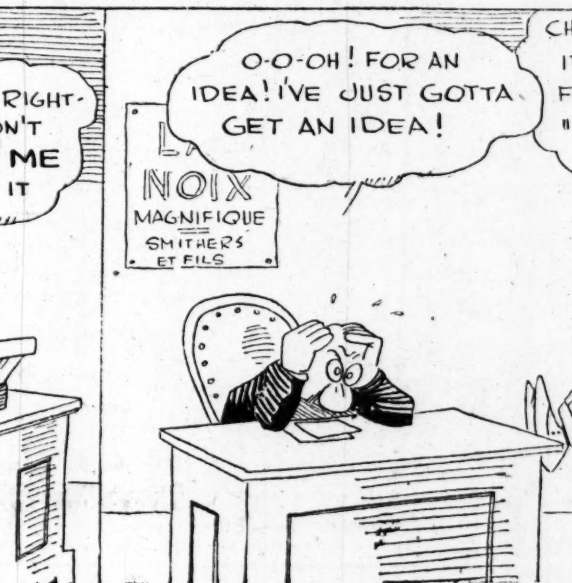
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MOON MULLINS—SAFETY IN NUMBERS



SOMEBODY'S STENOG—The Great Idea



WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER

Winnie Is Getting Toughened



GASOLINE ALLEY—WELL! WELL! WELL!



Driving Club Parties Honor Many Prominent Atlantans

Midwinter social activities in Atlanta bid fair to reach midsummer warmth and brilliance as parties blossom with the bewildering variety of garden flowers. The debutante refills the vanity case, takes a good long breath after Christmas festivities and again turns to the driving club.

If one might lift the roof of the Driving club this evening—and we devoutly trust that no guest would take that hilarious privilege—one would find fully five functions and fiddlers more than three, to say nothing of saxophone virtuoso.

One hundred and fifty guests will be present at the dinner given by the Fulton Medical society. Dr. N. M. Owensby is chairman of the entertainment committee.

Mell Wilkinson will honor John Minor Botts Hoxsey, who has served for many years as vice president and treasurer of the Southern Bell Telephone company, and who will leave shortly for New York to make his home. Forty guests will be present.

And of the other parties—we may not tell you at this moment for they are surprises—even to the lucky honored one, the close friends of Mrs. Harry Haxson for a delightfully informal luncheon for which the Driving club is famous.

Mrs. Nelson Honored On Anniversary.

Henry P. Nelson entertained at an elaborate surprise dinner at the Piedmont Driving club in honor of Mrs. Nelson, in celebration of their wedding anniversary, on Tuesday evening.

The table, placed in one of the private dining rooms of the club, was beautifully appointed and held as a central decoration a large silver basket of pink roses, narcissi and yellow chrysanthemums. The candlesticks held pink unshaded tapers and silver cornucopias held yellow mints.

Hand-painted cards marked the guests' places. Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. Mell Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Newell, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ashcraft, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. McBurney, Mr. and Mrs. Bulow Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson.

Mrs. McConnell Honors Mrs. Shope.

Mrs. Samuel Z. Shope, of Philadelphia, vice president of the Daughters of 1812, who is the guest of Mrs. Charles Rice at her home on Peachtree road, was honored by Mrs. Lucius L. McConnell, regent of the Atlanta chapter, D. A. R., who entertained at a seated luncheon at the Atlanta Woman's club Wednesday.

The guests included the officers of the Atlanta chapter, D. A. R. Covers were placed for 18 guests.

Mrs. Rice and Mrs. Shope left Wednesday afternoon for New Orleans, where they will attend the convention of the national officers of the Daughters of 1812, which will convene at the St. Charles hotel, January 8 and 9.

January 9 being the anniversary of the battle of New Orleans, the Historical Society of New Orleans will entertain all the national and state presidents at a banquet at the St. Charles hotel.

Charming Visitors Honored at Affairs.

Mrs. Arthur Cressman and Miss Elmer Whittemore, of Boston, the

Woman's Club Has Colonial Art Program

Miss Martha Washington Merrill, of Savannah, Mrs. Herbert Oliver and Mrs. George Hinman were speakers at the meeting of the art department of the Atlanta Woman's club on Tuesday.

Miss Merrill discussed early architecture in Georgia, and gave a verbal sketch of the beautiful examples of houses of the colonial period to be found in Roswell.

Mrs. Hinman's talk covered the three periods of American art development. First was the revolutionary period. The artists of that time, said Mrs. Hinman, were mostly English born, and their work reflected something of the American spirit of strength and simplicity.

Next came the period of peace when a great love of country and an appreciation of its beauty welled up in the hearts of its artists. In the next period, the artists, recognizing their need of instruction, went abroad to Düsseldorf and Munich and later to Paris, which, in the latter part of the fourteenth century became the Mecca of art students from all over the western world.

This period gained technique, but, lacking the background of art instinct, failed to make truly great artists. Mrs. Hinman left for the present period, she said.

Mrs. Herbert Oliver gave a very informal and chatty talk about her experiences in Europe. She was a member of the party which toured Europe sketching and studying with George Elmer Brown.

The next study class of the department will be held on Tuesday, January 19. Among the numbers will be a talk on period furniture by Mr. King, of the Brown Decorating company, Chippendale, Sheraton and Heppelwhite furniture will be discussed, their distinguishing features pointed out, and illustrating examples shown.

Non-members of the club may attend these classes for a nominal charge of 25 cents.

Mrs. G. S. Clarke Is Club Hostess.

The Hoosier club was entertained on Wednesday by Mrs. G. S. Clarke at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. V. Hendon, on Flagler street in Ansley park.

Forty members were present.

Mrs. Philip Green Is Bridge Hostess.

One of the most elaborate of the post-holiday affairs was the bridge party which Mrs. Philip Green entertained at the Officers' club on Wednesday afternoon, honoring her sister, Mrs. E. R. Matthews, of High Point, N. C., who has been spending two weeks in Fort McPherson.

Quantities of cut flowers were effectively used in the decorations combined with potted plants.

The guests included about 100 friends of the hostess, and all the military set.

Mrs. Beaumont Will Honor Miss McCullough.

Mrs. Walter Beaumont will entertain at a bridge-ten Tuesday afternoon, January 12, at her home on Peachtree road, the occasion complementing Miss Katherine McCullough, of Anderson, Ill., the attractive guest of Mrs. Canby Willson, who is being honored at a series of social affairs during her visit.

Invited to meet Miss McCullough will be 25 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodruff To Be Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woodruff will entertain at a brilliant costume ball Friday evening at the Piedmont Driving club in celebration of the employees of the Atlanta Coca-Cola company.

Two hundred guests will assemble for the occasion, which is a social event and will be in the nature of a carnival.

Attractively decorated booths will be arranged about the walls of the ballroom while gayly-colored balloons will form a floating canopy overhead of the picturesque setting.

Numerous surprise stunts will feature the occasion and at 11 o'clock supper will be served.

Crippled Children's Auxiliary Meets.

All meetings for 1926 of the Women's Auxiliary of the Crippled Children's hospital will be held at the Atlanta Biltmore hotel. The January meeting will be held this morning at 10:30 and every member is urged to be present.

Miss Phoebe Yancy Is Honored at Tea.

Miss Katherine Raine was hostess at the tea-dance at the Atlanta Biltmore on Tuesday complementing her house guest, Miss Phoebe Yancy, of Glenridge, N. J.

The table was attractively decorated with bright-colored flowers.

The guests included Misses Yancy, Ida Sadler, Ethel Hunter, Janet Collins, Robert Watkins, Frances Law, Rip Farnsworth, Champ de Saus, Merrett and Marion Watson, Edward sure, Cleveland Wilcox, Edward

Joint Hostesses At Party.

Miss Margaret Bostwick and Miss Evelyn Brown entertained at a beautiful miscellaneous shower for Miss Mary Adams, a bride-elect of February, on Saturday, January 2, at the home of Miss Bostwick's parents, Mrs. Roscoe Cole Bostwick, and on Hurt street, in Inman Park.

Little Miss Toots Dunbar gave several solo dances during the afternoon. The two young hostesses were assisted in entertaining by their mother, Mrs. Myrtle Brown.

About 20 guests were present.

Miss Ruth Paden Honored at Parties.

A series of parties are being planned for the coming weeks to complement Miss Ruth Paden, a bride-elect, whose marriage to James L. Paden, of Birmingham, will be an interesting event of January 21.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Alfred Green was hostess for Miss Paden at the attractive "Three Oak" tea room, on Kirkwood road.

Bridge was played during the afternoon in the attractive rooms whose decorations were in green and red. Following the game the guests were invited into the dining room where a dainty salad and ice course was served.

The highest score was made by Mrs. John Bowen, the prize being a linen towel, and Miss Paden was presented a beautiful luncheon set.

The guests included Mrs. Alfred Green, Mrs. Thomas Ripley, Mrs. James Cameron, Mrs. John Bowen, Mrs. Harry Dewa, Miss Lillian Latham, Ann Scully, Mrs. W. L. Hienz, Mrs. W. W. Young, Mrs. Iverson Dews, Misses Mary Blanche, Virginia, Ruth Paden, Mrs. Dean Paden, Miss Roberta Robson, Mrs. Earl Chandler, Mrs. Davis Hall.

Mrs. Tom Ripley will give a matinee party for Miss Paden today.

DAILY CALENDAR OF SOCIAL EVENTS

Tea-dance at the Atlanta Biltmore hotel.

Mrs. W. O. Cheney will give a tea at her home on Avery drive, honoring her aunt, Mrs. R. P. Brooks, of Forsyth.

The regular dance at the West End Woman's club will take place this evening at the club assembly hall from 9 to 12 o'clock.

William Crum will be host at the Biltmore tea-dance this afternoon in honor of Miss Phoebe Yancy, of Glenridge, N. J., the guest of Miss Catherine Raine.

Mrs. Brooks Morgan will entertain at luncheon in honor of her mother, Mrs. George McCarty.

Mrs. John S. Cohen will entertain in honor of Miss Frances Arnold, whose marriage to Hugh Richardson will be an event of January at a luncheon today at her home on Peachtree road.

Mrs. A. R. Bolling will entertain the French club at her quarters at Fort McPherson this afternoon.

The Fulton Medical society will entertain at dinner this evening at the Piedmont Driving club.

Mell Wilkinson will be host at dinner this evening at the Piedmont Driving club in compliment to J. M. D. Hoxsey, who will leave at an early date for New York to make her future home.

Miss Mary Armstrong will entertain at a bridge party this afternoon at her home on Ponce de Leon avenue in honor of her guest, Miss Catherine Converse, of Valdosta.

Mrs. Tom Ripley will give a matinee party for Miss Ruth Paden and her bridal party this afternoon.

SOCIAL ITEMS

Mrs. May Evans Gillilan is spending several days at the Waldorf in New York.

T. R. Gregory has returned to Lancaster, S. C., after a two weeks' visit to his sister, Mrs. Tony Drake, on Peachtree road. Mr. Gregory is a graduate of the Harvard Law school, being admitted to the bar last June when he opened offices in Lancaster.

Mrs. Don Pegrum Ellison, of San Francisco, will arrive Friday to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Vol Blackall.

D. W. Sandwich is critically ill at the Georgia Baptist hospital.

St. Elmo Massengale and St. Elmo Massengale, Jr., have returned from a visit to Miami and Cuba.

Miss Sarah Dossia Bowden returned Monday from Thomson, where she spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Bowden. Miss Bowden is spending the winter in Atlanta teaching expression at the Atlanta Conservatory of Music.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Dobbs, Jr., who have been the guests of their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Howard, have returned to their home in Rye, N. Y.

Gus Loyless has returned to Athens, where he will resume his studies at the University of Georgia, after spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. D. A. Loyless, on East Fourteenth street.

Mrs. Arthur Stevens, of Savannah, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Dickey, in the Biltmore apartments.

Mrs. V. G. Chiles is improving at St. Joseph infirmary following an operation.

Mrs. O. H. Lowther and little daughter, Anne and Ruth, will join Mr. Lowther next week in Tampa, Fla., to spend several weeks at the Tampa Bay hotel.

Mrs. A. B. Gill, of Nashville, Tenn., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. T. Robinson, at her home on Oakdale road.

Mrs. Robert Redding and little daughter, Helen, will return to their home at Daytona, Fla., after a visit to Mrs. John Tucker.

Mrs. Ethel M. Brown is spending two weeks in Atlanta with H. H. Smith, at Jefferson, Ga., before returning to her home in Eustis, Fla.

Mrs. C. W. Managum is slightly improved following a critical illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Stone and family will leave shortly for an extended visit to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sandifer, of Birmingham, are guests at the Atlanta Biltmore.

Mrs. Clarke Munford and Miss Nellie Munford, of Washington, D. C., spent a short time in Atlanta Wednesday, en route to New Orleans, where they will remain until March.

Mrs. Clifford Hatcher continues ill with influenza at her home on Peachtree circle.

Recent arrivals at the Atlanta Biltmore are Mr. and Mrs. R. C. S. Adams, of Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Maddock, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. A. Allengar, of Miami, Fla.; Mrs. L. B. Wolke, of Buffalo, and others.

Colonel and Mrs. Arthur Kelly Evans, of Hot Springs, Va., are in Atlanta and will spend several days at the Biltmore, and expect their son, Joseph Brown Whitehead, to join them.

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Miss Frances Arnold To Be Given Dinner By Lowry Arnold

Miss Frances Arnold, whose wedding to Hugh Ianan Richardson will be an interesting social event of January 30, will be honored at a dinner party on Saturday evening at the Piedmont Driving club by her uncle, Lowry Arnold.

Miss Arnold, who is one of Atlanta's most charming young girls, has been the recipient of many lovely affairs prior to her marriage and will continue to be feted at lovely affairs up to the day of her marriage.

Forty guests will be invited in Mr. Arnold's party to meet Miss Arnold.

Miss Winings Gives Party.

Miss Dorothy Winings entertained recently at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Winings, with a "heart dice" party. The following members of the younger set were present: Misses Mary Frances Zuckery, Elizabeth Woodruff, Jessamine Ward, Josephine Clayton, Lilly and Peggy Furlong, Dorothy Rhorer, Frances Clark, Celeste Martin, Elizabeth Alexander, Josephine Lippold, Isabel Couper and Helen Peck.

Atlanta Visitor Addresses Club.

Mrs. Jacques Frutelle, Atlanta actress and writer, will address the meeting of the literature department of the Atlanta Woman's club on Thursday afternoon in the palm room of the club house.

Miss Rosa Woodberry will give a drill in parliamentary rules. Miss Woodberry is the state parliamentarian for the federated women's club. Year resolutions will be given in answer to roll call. A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in literary work to attend the meeting.

Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary Holds January Meeting.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. will hold their regular meeting at the "Y" rooms on Friday, January 8, 1926, at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. A. J. Bruce, chairman of the devotional program, will present Mrs. T. R. Kendall as devotional leader and Mrs. Luke Rader as the soloist of the afternoon. Mrs. George B. Hinman will preside.

Mrs. Sewell Honors Mrs. Ralph Baker.

Mrs. Robert A. Sewell was hostess Wednesday at an informal bridge luncheon at her home on Washington avenue, the event honoring Mrs. Ralph Baker, of Philadelphia.

A color scheme of pink and green was effectively carried out in the rooms where the game was played and in the luncheon table appointments.

Eighteen friends were invited to meet the honor guest.

Daddies' Day at Howard Theater.

Atlanta fathers will embrace the opportunity to see the film, "Son O'Mine," written for the screen by Booth Tarkington, and which will be presented at the Saturday matinee this week at the Howard by the Atlanta better films committee, according to the opinion of Superintendent Willis A. Sutton, head of Atlanta's public school system.

"Raising children in the right way" is just as much a father's as a mother's business," thinks Mr. Sutton, "and notwithstanding the right kind of mothering that a child may have, the wrong attitude on the part of the father may ruin the child's life."

According to Mrs. Newton C. Wing, Saturday matinee chairman, the matinee this week will be called "Daddies' Day," and each child who brings his father, or if that is not possible, his mother, will be presented with a free ticket which may be used on any other Saturday. The beautiful moving picture, "Son O'Mine," is in the opinion of Booth Tarkington himself, the best of his pictures yet screened, and acted as it is by the boy, Ben Alexander, nine years old, with a sup-

Atlanta P.-T. A. Council Will Meet Today

The Atlanta Council of Parents and Teachers will meet on Thursday morning, January 7, at 10 o'clock at the Edico Piano company, 241 Peachtree street. All past presidents are cordially invited.

porting cast of Henry Walthall as the father, who "does not understand boys," with Irene Rich as the loving mother, and Rockcliffe Fellows, as the young doctor who knows what a boy is really like, it is one of the most interesting pictures ever presented in Atlanta, combining as it does equally, humor and pathos.

Completing the program is the first installment of the serial, "The Fighting Ranger," and a prolog staged by Mrs. Charles La Fontaine. The matinee begins at 9:30 and the admission is 10 cents for children and 25 cents for adults.

Girl Scout Council Has Luncheon.

A luncheon was held Wednesday at the Atlanta Biltmore hotel at the annual meeting of the Girl Scout council and board of directors. The lovely luncheon table held as its central decoration a vase of red Premier roses.

Thirty guests were present. Following the luncheon the annual reports of committees were given and the election of the 1926 officers took place. The present officers are: Mrs. Frank Holland, commissioner, and Mrs. Frank Inman, Mrs. Lee Ashcraft, Mrs. Alfred Newell and Mrs. Sig Pappenheimer, deputy commissioners. Mrs. Lee Ashcraft is a member of the national board of directors.

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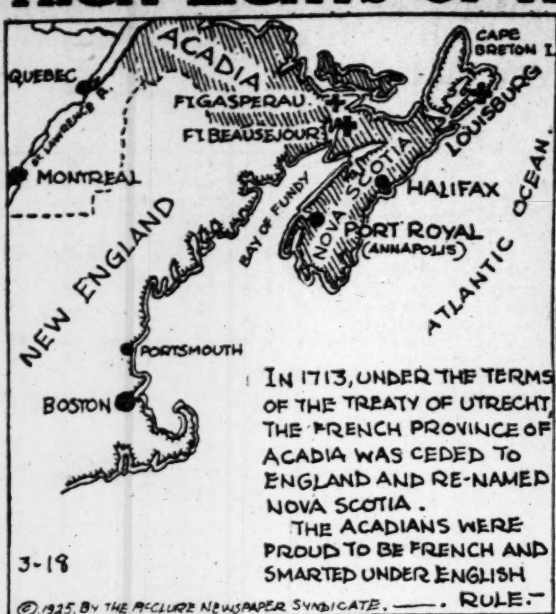
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Exile of the Acadians.

by J. CARROLL MANSFIELD



THE MAJORITY OF THEM REFUSED TO SWEAR ALLEGIANCE TO THE KING OF ENGLAND, AND SCOFFED AT THE AUTHORITY OF THEIR ENGLISH OVERLORDS.



AS A RESULT OF THIS UNREST, WHEN FRANCE AND ENGLAND WENT TO WAR, IT WAS DECIDED TO REMOVE THE ACADIANS AS A MEASURE OF SAFETY. (1755). SEVEN THOUSAND OF THESE UNFORTUNATE PEOPLE WERE TORN FROM THEIR HOMES AND SCATTERED AMONG THE AMERICAN COLONIES.



THE ACADIANS ENDURED MUCH SUFFERING IN EXILE AND LATER MANY RETURNED TO BUILD THEIR RUINED HOMES. THIS PATHETIC HAPPENING IS THE THEME OF LONGFELLOW'S POEM "EVANGELINE." — TOMORROW—MASSACRE AT FORT WILLIAM HENRY.

and plants grow almost everywhere.

Ireland has a slightly greater area than Scotland. Its population is half a million less than Scotland's.

Three-fourths of the land of Ireland is under the rule of the Irish free state. The northern counties making up Ulster are still a part of the United Kingdom. All of Ireland remains within the British empire.

Long ago an Irishman declared that it would be easy for his country to become free from Great Britain. To do so, he said that one need only make two letters in "United Kingdom" change places. Do you know what two letters he was thinking of?

Ninety years ago Ireland's population was almost twice as great as it is now. The change has been largely due to the movement of families to American shores.

Uncle Ray

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THURSDAY.

Q.—What were the main features of the Harding-Coolidge administration from 1921 to 1923?—Geraldine Thiess, age 13.

A.—The main features were: 1. The conference for limitation of armaments, during the winter of 1921-22, in which an agreement was reached for limitation of the naval armaments of nations, and for treaty adjustment of the Pacific situation. 2. The passing of the Fordney-McCumber tariff bill, and 3. The championship of a permanent court of international justice. Harding died in the summer of 1923, and Coolidge continued the Harding policies for the remainder of the year.

STREET CAR STOP PROPOSAL REPORT GIVEN COMMISSION

J. Houston Johnston, consulting engineer of the Georgia public service commission, has filed his report on the proposed elimination of numerous street car stops in Atlanta. It was announced Wednesday. Mr. Johnston spent weeks investigating proposed changes and studying the situation of each stop.

OFFICERS OF 122D INFANTRY IN FIRST MEETING IN 1926

The initial meeting of officers of the 122d infantry for the new year was held Wednesday at 12:30 o'clock in connection with a luncheon in the rainbow room at the Ansley hotel. Colonel Charles H. Cox, regimental commander, presided and about 35 officers of the regiment attended.

Brief talks were given by various officers regarding the new year's program and much enthusiasm was manifested concerning training features to be followed this year, it was said.

DAILY CALENDAR OF WOMEN'S MEETINGS

The Atlanta council of Parent-Teacher associations will meet this morning at 10 o'clock at the Edico Piano company, 241 Peachtree street.

The Parent-Teacher Presidents' club will have its monthly luncheon at 12:15 o'clock at the Henry Grady hotel.

Miss Virginia Boyer will entertain the Officers' Club of Woodberry Hall at her home on Druid place this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Parent-Teacher Association of Calhoun School will hold its monthly meeting at 3 o'clock.

Baby Health center to be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at Andrew Stewart nursery.

This evening at 7:30 o'clock Lebanon chapter will hold its regular meeting in Capitol View Masonic temple and there will be work in the degrees.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps of the G. A. R., will be held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. G. Englehart, 679 Piedmont avenue.

The board of management of the Atlanta chapter, D. A. R., will meet with the chairman, Mrs. John M. Slaton, Peachtree road, this morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Grant Park Chapter No. 478, O. E. S., will hold its regular meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock in Grant Park Masonic temple, 132 Cherokee avenue.

her guest, Mrs. Frances Block; Miss Margaret Block, Miss Carolyn Nicolson, Mrs. C. P. Posberg, Mrs. W. S. Phillips, Mrs. Vera Hollomon, Mrs. W. E. Beckham and Miss Martha Edmondson.

South Side League To Apply for Charter To Carry Out Plans

Formulation of plans for applying for a charter featured a meeting Wednesday night of the South Side Civic league at the residence of Mrs. J. E. Andrews, at 23 Pulliam street.

The league has been very active during the past three months in making a survey of social conditions of the community in which it is operating, as well as the city at large.

The membership is to be limited to 50, among which will be the most active and prominent women in the south side, Mrs. Andrews stated.

Macon Woman's Club Will Hear 'Sun-Up' Read by Mrs. Lamar

Macon, Ga., January 6.—The Macon Woman's club is sponsoring the reading of "Sun-Up," Lula Vollmer's play depicting the life of the mountain people in the south. Mrs. Walter D. Lamar will read the play Thursday afternoon at the city auditorium in Macon.

Mrs. Lamar is chairman of the educational department of the Woman's club and the presentation of the Volmer play will be the contribution of that department to the year's program of the club. Under the present departmental program plan, diversified and thoroughly interesting meetings of the club are being held with an increased representation of the membership at all of the meetings.

She is a very eloquent and brilliant speaker, her sympathetic understanding of the mountain folk make her especially fitted to read "Sun-Up." The combination of reader and play presages a very enjoyable afternoon.

Preceding the reading of the play on Thursday Mrs. R. A. Heinsohn, who is possessed of a remarkably

The Woman's Union Bible club meets this morning at 10 o'clock at Wesley Memorial church.

The literature department of the Atlanta Woman's club meets this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the palm room of the clubhouse.

The regular weekly meeting of L'Alliance Francaise will be held this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the pine room of Hotel Ansley.

The Ella W. Smilie P. T. A. will have a daddies' meeting tonight at 8 o'clock.

The annual meeting of the woman's auxiliary, Scottish Rite hospital, will be held at 10:30 o'clock at the Biltmore hotel on the mazzanine floor.

The woman's auxiliary of the Crippled Children's hospital will meet this morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Atlanta Biltmore hotel.

The literature department of the Atlanta Woman's club will hold the first meeting of the year 1926 this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the palm room of the clubhouse.

The Atlanta Writers' club will meet this evening at 7 o'clock in the banquet hall of the Atlanta Woman's club. Discussion of "The Loves and Love Poems of Robert Burns," by Dr. Joseph Jacobs will take place.

The T. E. L. class of Grant Park Baptist church will hold its regular monthly business meeting at the home of Mrs. B. N. Anderson, 72 Augusta avenue, at 10 o'clock.

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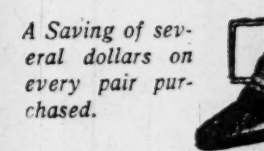
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WHEN IN PITTSBURGH VISIT THE HEINZ KITCHENS

PULITZER PRIZE PLAY HEIGHTS LARGE ATLANTA AUDIENCE

Randolph-Macon
Club To Meet.

The Randolph-Macon club will meet with Miss Mildred Converse and Miss

Allison Blodgett, Apartment 1, 5 East Third street, on Friday afternoon, January 8, at 3 o'clock. Miss Blodgett will give an interesting book review of the modern novel.



Change of Life

"WHEN change of life began, I was down in bed," says Mrs. W. C. Pace, living near Albany, Ala., whose picture is printed here. "I was so weak I couldn't go. I suffered so with my head and back for two solid years, in bed most of the time. I suffered from weakness and nothing I did seemed to do any good. My family was very uneasy about me. I kept getting weaker. I was very depressed. I just lived in dread.

"I read in the Ladies Birthday Almanac of a case something like mine and decided to try Cardui, as it seemed to help the case I read of. I took two bottles of Cardui and found it was helping me. I took six bottles and it certainly got me up and around.

"I was so awfully thin when I began taking Cardui. I had fallen off to 115 pounds and after I got better I began gaining. In six months from when I began the use of Cardui, I weighed 142 pounds. I did all my housework and washing and all. Cardui got me up and going 16 years ago and I am strong and healthy to this day and recommend Cardui for the wonderful good it did me."

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Atlanta Artists And Boston Guest Treat Music Club

Members and guests of the Atlanta Music club were recipients of a rare and beautiful treat in the program as rendered by beloved Atlanta artists, Miss Eda Bartholomew, Mrs. DeLos Hill, Mrs. Benjamin Elsas, Hugh Hodgson, and the admired guest artist, Miss Elinor Whittemore, from Boston, Wednesday morning at the Woman's club.

The program opened with the Arensky Suite, in canon form, for two pianos, played by Mrs. Hill and Miss Bartholomew. In this composition of eight numbers these two artists made a profound impression with their interesting and artistic presentation. Adding to the enjoyment was the obedience of the audience to the printed request not to applaud between numbers. In the Andante and Variations by Schumann, the second offering of Mrs. Hill and Miss Bartholomew, the zenith in interpretation and clarity of tone was reached. The final phrase of this interesting work was masterfully played—the story for composer and pianists was exquisitely delivered.

Mrs. Benjamin Elsas sang "Deep Hidden in My Heart," by Arensky, and "Provençalische Lied," by Schumann. Mrs. Elsas possesses a rare gift for interpretation, giving to the audience not only the pure technical, but the genuine fiber of the composer's thought.

Miss Bartholomew gave an exquisitely artistic accompaniment. Miss Whittemore, nationally and internationally heralded as a violinist of the first rank, played into the confidence and esteem of the Atlanta audience. There was in her playing of the fascinatingly compiled group, "Tempo di Minuetto," by Paganini-Kreisler; "Vocalise," by Rachmaninoff; and "Gypsy Airs," by Nacuez, the warmth of the human, the clear carving of the sculptor, the motion and romance of the poet. Closing the program Miss Whittemore gave "Salmone Dances O' Minor," by Dvorak-Kreisler; "Indian Sketches," by Cecil Burleigh. In her interpretation of this group she displayed originality, but with it all a sincere adaptability to the composer's portrayal. Miss Whittemore appeared as accompanist, and in his playing for Miss Whittemore there was a cohesion of artistry. Miss Whittemore responded with one encore, a waltz, by Schubert.

H. KNOX SPAIN.

Dr. and Mrs. Warren Given Dinner.

Frank Armstrong was host Wednesday evening at the regular dinner dance at the Biltmore hotel in compliment to Dr. and Mrs. Green Doid Warren, whose marriage in the fall was a lovely social event. Covers were placed for six.

Mrs. J. P. Webster Honors Debutante.

Miss Virginia Campbell, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bulow Campbell, was the honored guest at a luncheon given by Mrs. J. Prince Webster Wednesday at her home on Wesley road.

The delectable appointed luncheon table was graced with a large silver basket filled with vari-colored spring flowers and tied with a large tulle bow. The guests' places were marked with dainty hand-painted cards.

Drama League Attraction As Presented by Szold Accorded Warmest Praise

BY BEVERLY BURGESS.

Again Atlanta has had a great treat at the hands of the Drama League, under Mrs. Edgar Neely, its charming president.

On Tuesday evening Bernard Szold, director of the Little Theatre of Birmingham, was presented in "They Knew What They Wanted."

You know, of course, how wonderfully popular this Pulitzer prize play of Sidney Howard's has been since it first presented November 23, 1924, by the Theater Guild at Garfield's theater, New York.

The Pulitzer prize committee, which makes such an award annually, is known for being very conservative, such men as Hamlin Garland serving on this body. The prize was awarded to Mr. Howard's little California problem play—who could ever rightfully call it a "comedy?"—not alone for its literary merit but because it was the most original play, and further, had "the highest value in raising the standards of good morals, good taste and good manners."

Another plausible from a sense of technique and wonderful artistry, the Pulitzer committee said unhesitatingly that "They Knew What They Wanted" was absolutely free from any vagary, suggestion or appeal to base-

Subtlety of Title.

"They Knew What They Wanted." The subtlety of this title has an insidious power. It creeps upon one's senses unsuspectingly.

The first question which propounds itself on hearing the play is "Why the title?"

Hundreds of others probably commonplace, humorous, however, suggests themselves as being more fitting. In the play are four—really three—important characters. Homely in bearing, simple in mental outlook and plain in habits of life, Joe, Tony, and Amy, an elderly Italian fruit grower; Joe, his ward and foster-son, and Amy, a full-blooded American girl, waiter in a California spaghetti restaurant.

By correspondence Tony woos and wins the hand of Amy. Duplicitous on the part of Tony, however, was practiced. He sent a photograph of Joe, a younger and handsomer man, to help him with his wooing. It was successful.

Amy arrived from the far off town to become the bride of Tony.

On the way to meet the train which was bringing his bride, Tony's little Ford was wrecked and both of his legs broken. Long after the arrival of the bride-to-be at the prospective groom's home, having been welcomed by Joe, the mangled body of Tony was brought in by friends.

Not to be daunted, the ceremony,

though little delayed, was gone through with, the groom lying prostrate all the while.

Great disappointment and chagrin did the girl feel when she learned that the man of the picture and the one who had been the first to greet her upon arrival was other than Tony.

The man of the picture had been heart and she had won him at sight. The night of the wedding, there was a wonderful fiesta, a great celebration with wine, lights and Italian songs.

Tony listened from his couch. Amy was hysterical, nervous and excited. Joe attentive and persuasive.

She listened!

"They Knew What They Wanted."

Joe wanted pleasure!

Amy wanted love and a home!

Tony wanted an heir!

The heir was to be—but not Tony's. Temorse and recriminations followed!

She, in the face of renouncing home and all, goes to Tony and with much stammering and confusion confesses all.

Tony's first impulse was for revenge. To kill was in his heart! Suddenly a sense of his own duplicity in the matter of Joe's photograph came over him. He says his common guilt!

He smothered his fury. In humility and with a sublime forgiveness he takes her to his heart.

She begins to love Tony and despise Joe.

These three characters, in their great simplicity of intellect and manner of life face problems too difficult for more thinking one to be able to handle and yet they salvage something from this wreckage of their lives that is worth while.

Realistic Drama.

In days not so remote, the playwright never presented realistic problems which could not be ended with "and they lived happily ever after."

All romance seemed to demand idealization!

This story of Mr. Howard's isn't pretty, it isn't happy nor is it spectacular, but it is life as it is!

The high lights of the lines are not to be found in the eloquent phrases or poetic rhythm but in its accurate tracery of human appeal!

As for the work of Mr. Szold in his magnificent character portrayal, too much cannot be said in praise. His interpretations were the expression of an artist indeed. Particularly his conception of the characters of Tony and Amy made his work entirely convincing.

The realistic drama has come to realize all ethical bearings of former days.

Your Boy and Your Girl

BY ARTHUR DEAN, SC. D.

The Parent Counsellor

Dr. Dean will answer all signed letters pertaining to parents' problems with their boys and girls. Questions of general interest answered in this column, but all letters will be answered by mail if written in ink and a stamped, self-addressed envelope is inclosed. Address Arthur Dean, in care of this paper.

Of Course, No Problem!

On my desk sits a wire basket labelled: "Choice Letters," and for contributor's special day, I have drawn the one following. In it there are lessons in sex instruction, allowances, home policies, discipline and good, plain, horse sense.

"Our boy is nine years old and has never been a problem. He is beginning to need better sex knowledge than I am able to give him and for that reason I am sending 10 cents for book-let which I note you have sent to other parents. While he knows how he came and in a general way, the source of new life, I am at a loss to give him the details as I feel he should have them.

"He is large for his age and very good in school. His teacher has suggested that he skip half of the fifth grade, but I am not in favor of crowding him. His health is splendid but he takes less interest in athletic sports than we wish he did. Another thing that bothers his father is that he is no scrapper. In general, he gets along very well with children, both girls and boys and makes friends readily. However, he is no good at standing up for himself—shows a decided 'yellow streak.' When his father asked him one night what he ran from a boy for, he said, 'Daddy, I don't like to fight.' What is the matter?

Let's Play Fair.

"He is an only child but he is not spoiled, petted and pampered. He eats appetizing food, sleeps ten hours each night, helps around the house and does errands, sells magazines, takes violin lessons and we pay him 25 cents each week for what he does at home. He also gets 5 cents for each 'A' on his report card each month and a dollar a year if he is neither absent or tardy except for sickness.

"We insist that he keep accurate account of all he spends. We do not tell him what to do with his money, but he surely hates to see the whole column of 'debts' read 'ice cream cones, gum, etc.' He has saved about \$7 this last year, half is in the school bank, and he has \$2 set aside for the Fourth of July.

"We are living in an apartment house where there are 10 families, of assorted varieties. We hope to get in a house by ourselves in a month, but cannot, however, see that the influence of this place has hurt him at all. We aim to impress upon him the difference in right and wrong, and for our family slogan, we say, 'Let's Play Fair.' When he doesn't want to practice, I say, 'Is it fair to Daddy to have him work to earn the dollar for your lesson, and you not practice to do your best?' With him, that argument works.

"We want him to grow up to be a worth-while man, and a good citizen. He is a tireless reader and, if you have any lists of books he should read, I would appreciate receiving them. His father takes as much interest in his upbringing as I do. He has never heard profanity or scurrilous conversation at home and it disgusts him when he hears it from others.

Guided, Not Ruined.

"I was a spoiled, pampered child myself but found, after I got out in the world, that I had to stand on my own feet quite as much as if I had not been the baby of home. I determined my child should be guided but not ruined. When he was a baby, he was allowed to cry if he wanted to, but never did he cry over 15 minutes before he dropped off into restful slumbers. He never had 'tantrums' then nor since. Often now he doesn't want to do as he is told. We talk the matter over and sometimes we find he is right. Then he doesn't do it but if we are right, he argues no further.

"This morning he didn't want to get up at the usual hour. I let him sleep. About 10:30 a boy friend came

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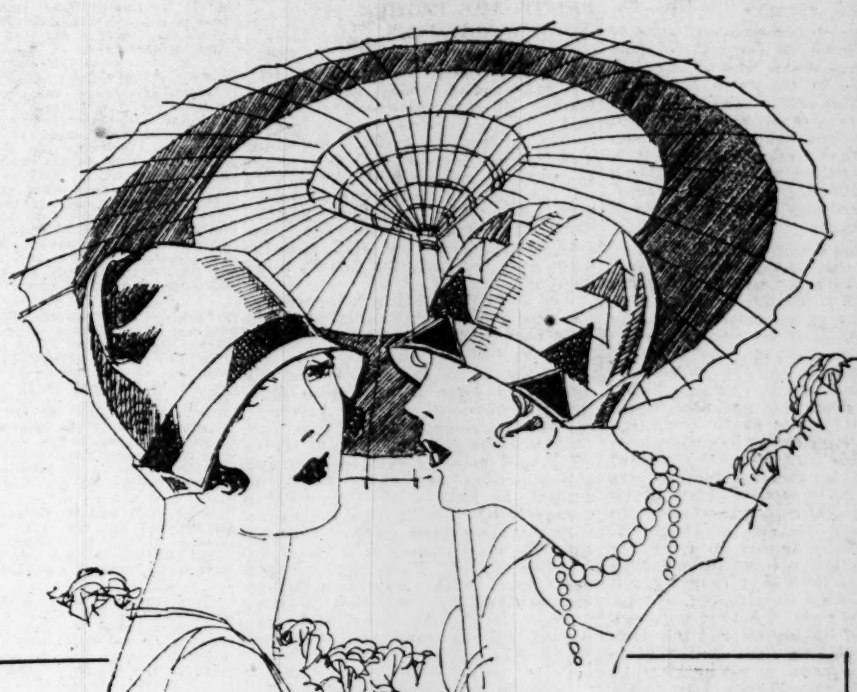
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